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ARE WE to have state coercion in purely local matters?

LOWELL is having a big run of excellent shows. The best is not too good for us.

THE BEVERLY TIMES keeps on shouting "Push Beverly." Evidently Beverly must be a good thing.

WATCH THE business centre. We are told it will follow the post office. If so, it must be on the move.

QUEEN VICTORIA has just signed a bill to give the suffrage to women on an equality with men in Australia. Next?

NASHUA HAS suffered in the failure of one of its banks. Lowell has been exceedingly fortunate in escaping such misfortunes.

THE HOUSE of representatives voted to pass the redistricting bill or in other words to curtail Lowell's right to local self-government.

MR CONROY has been apprehended and will have to answer for his cowardly assault. Nobody guilty of such an assault deserves any sympathy.

TRILBY CAME and will go like "Annie Rooney," or any of the popular songs that are hummed for a while everywhere and then ostracized never to be resurrected.

MEN WHO have seen some of the leading tragedians in Richelieu think that with a few finishing touches Haworth's Richelieu would equal that of any of his more recent predecessors on the stage.

REP. HAYES expects to be made a senator as a reward for his gerrymandering bill. The people whom he is trying to rob of their rights by state legislation will see to it that he shall be triumphantly defeated.

IT IS all nonsense to say that the south common is converted into a veritable dump on account of the snow piled there during the winter. There is a thin covering of clay or mud but it has been pulverized by the frost and is not offensive.

THE GERMAN REICHSTAG must be a degenerate body to dread the mere congratulation of an ex-minister on his 80th birthday. Bismarck towers above the men who cast upon him such an indignity. He is not lowered in the estimation of his country by such an act. The British parliament would not refuse its respectful courtesy to Mr. Gladstone.

THE NEW BEDFORD weavers condemn Chief Wade for preventing the legislature from increasing the number of state inspectors. He says he has a sufficient force to enforce the laws, but the New Bedford weavers in common with those in other factory cities gainsay this statement. The chief has "a pull," however, and his recommendation is accepted as reliable.

THE MAIL is moderating its partisan tone and in regard to settling the common council muddle, suggests that the contest over the presidency might be settled by drawing lots as the tenure of office is settled by the overseers of the poor. The Mail also talks of a compromise, but fails to state on what basis it might be effected. The democrats are now as formerly, ready to meet the republicans fairly upon any reasonable proposition. They are not the obstructionists.

A POLICY OF CONSISTENCY.

The Colored National League of Boston justly denounces the discrimination against Representative Temoah in the south on account of his color. It also condemns Mr. Temoah himself and the committee of which he is a member for tamely submitting to such discrimination. The affair will result in the election of another colored representative to take Mr. Temoah's place and in a more vigorous insistence upon due recognition of colored officials wherever they go. Governor Greenhalge takes advantage of the incident to emphasize the determination of Massachusetts to see the colored citizens fairly treated in all respects. While His Excellency is so solicitous for the fair treatment of colored citizens it is to be hoped he will not allow a wrong or an injustice to be inflicted upon the white residents of his own city. Can a governor who is so generous towards the colored citizens be injust to his fellow citizens of Lowell?

We are inclined to think not, and if not he will veto the Lowell redistricting and charter amendment bill now before the legislature. Should he fail to veto it, he will, to use a vulgar expression, "swallow his head" by failing to carry out the policy of applying the referendum in local matters. Governor Greenhalge has always been consistent and we do not believe he will now adopt a different course at the dictation of an extremely partisan element in the legislature.

If Holyoke does not want its license commission metamorphosed into a police commission, that ought to be final. The legislature does not exist for the purpose of prescribing the details of city and town governments.—Lawrence American.

THE SUN endorses this statement and holds that Lowell should not be prevented prescribing the details of its own government by any act of the legislature. The present legislature does not scruple any such trifle as coercing a city.

MISS ANNA DICKINSON sues for damages for imprisonment for five months in an insane asylum. It will be difficult for a perfectly sane woman to prove that she was sane years ago. If she proves a conspiracy to incarcerate her she should get damages.

THE DETERMINATION of the Lawrence city council to pay the laborers $2 a day is meeting considerable opposition. The question to be decided is, are the laborers worth that amount.

FROM PRESENT indications no new law will be necessary to compel Lowell ladies to remove high headgear at theatres. They do so without legal compulsion.

THE LICENSE commission is being closely watched nowadays, although there is nothing suspicious in its actions.

A PRIZE.

He Knew What He Was Talking About, After All.

No one would have suspected, to look at the hale and hearty face and stout, well built form of the young man who stood so earnestly gazing down into the eyes of the beautiful girl from whom he had so long been parted, that a few short months before he had lain sick unto death in a small village in the heart of India. Yet such was the case.

"Yes, dear," he was saying as he took both her hands in his own. "I hardly dare tell you what a close call for my life I had, but now that it is over I can look back upon it with calmness. Yet, in telling you of it," he continued, his face blushing slightly and the strange light of an unnatural excitement gleaming in his eyes, "I must speak of a matter which I think you, of all others, should know. Had it not been for a young English girl who was there at the time, I might never be here to tell this tale. She learned that I had the jungle fever, and for weeks she hovered over my bedside, never leaving me, night or day. In my fevered tossing and in the wild delirium of the night, I was yet dimly conscious of this angel form that bent over me and administered to my burning lips the cooling draft or bathed my hot forehead, and when at last she nursed me back to life I was enabled, thank heaven, to repay her in a measure for this great service. Unfriended and alone in all the world, she naturally turned to me for counsel, and at length I prevailed upon her to follow my advice. My darling, I have brought her back with me."

As he uttered these words the face of his fiancee turned deadly pale, and, uttering a hearse exclamation of surprise, she drew herself up to her full height. "And so, sir," she exclaimed, "this is the way you repay my devotion! A pretty girl turns your head, and you have the audacity to travel with her from a far land and coolly face me with this calm statement. Why, sir, may I ask, have you dared to bring her with you?"

"Because, my darling," he said softly as he drew from his pocket the lease for a seven room flat in Harlem and gazed searchingly at its contents, "she says she will do our general housework for only $12 a month."—New York World.

Had to Know Him.

A now distinguished jurist, says an exchange, migrated to a western town; months of idleness, with no prospect of improvement, induced him to seek a new home. Without money to pay his fare, he boarded a train for Nashville, intending to seek employment as reporter on one of the daily newspapers. When the conductor called for his ticket, he said: "I am on the staff of The —— of Nashville. I suppose you will pass me?" The conductor looked at him sharply. "The editor of that paper is in the smoker. Come with me. If he identifies you, all right." He followed the conductor into the smoker; the situation was explained. Mr. Editor said: "Oh, yes, I recognize him as one of the staff. It is all right." Before leaving the train the lawyer again sought the editor: "Why did you say you recognized me? I'm not on your paper." "I am not the editor, either. I'm traveling on his pass and was scared to death lest you should give me away."

First Fashionable Fans.

Fans came from the east during the crusades, being brought back by returning knights as presents for their friends. A French nobleman brought the first ostrich fan to Paris about 1400.

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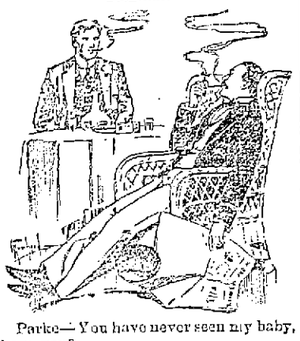

Parke—You have never seen my baby, have you?

Lane—No, old man. But I feel as though I know him from what I have heard you say.—New York World.

A Sure Cure.

Two married ladies were talking about their respective and respected lords.

"Does your husband forget things?" asked one.

"Never," said the other.

"Well, mine does. I think there is hardly a day when he comes home from his office that he doesn't beg to apologize for his forgetfulness. Of course I have to accept the apology on his promise to do better, and the next day the very same thing occurs."

"That must be extremely annoying."

"It is. Sometimes I get so vexed with him that I really have to scold him."

"And that never is pleasant."

"I should say not. I'm sure I'd rather be anything else than a scold, but some husbands actually drive their wives to it. I've been married ten years, and sometimes I almost fear if he doesn't improve he will have my temper utterly spoiled."

"I've been married a dozen years, and I never have any such trouble."

"Maybe your husband is an exception?"

"No, he's only average as married men go."

"Wasn't he ever forgetful?"

"He was at first, but I cured him of it."

"Gracious, I thought it was incurable!"

"Oh, no. You can cure him easily if you will use my remedy."

"I'm sure I'll only be too glad to. What is it?"

"Never ask him to get anything for you. Get it yourself. He has enough to think about without being errand boy."

"Oh!" exclaimed the first woman and remained silent for as much as two minutes.—Detroit Free Press.

Rare Coin.

X., a poor Parisian Bohemian who lives from hand to mouth, but manages to keep up a somewhat distinguished appearance, was looking earnestly in a public place at a 5 franc piece of which, by some extraordinary piece of luck, he had become possessed.

A gentleman at once stepped up to him and addressed him politely.

"Pardon me, sir," said the stranger, "but I am a collector of coins, and your movement suggests that possibly you have a rare one."

"I have, sir," said X.

"Will you let me look at it?"

"With pleasure."

The stranger inspected with astonishment X.'s 5 franc piece.

"But pray, sir," he asked, "do you consider this a rare coin?"

"Certainly," answered X. "With me all coins are rare."—Youth's Companion.

Overjoyed.

Nodd—I never was so happy in my life. My wife just got home from a long visit to her relatives.

Todd—Glad to see her, eh?

Nodd—Not that, but she didn't bring any of them back with her.—Brooklyn Life.

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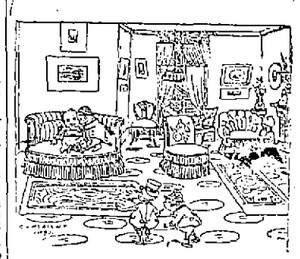

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20	" "	Black Finish Foot	" 15c.	" "	25c "
25	" "	Black, First Quality	" 25c.	" "	23c "
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50	dozen "	" "	" 15c.	" "	20c "
37	" "	" "	" 25c.	" "	30c "
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OLD JACK FROST. Is a nightly visitor, and with each visit he gets bolder. The best way to keep him out is by putting on DOUBLE WINDOWS. Order Windows of J. H. HOWARD, COMMISSION MERCHANT. Cor. Market & Shattuck Sts.

$100. FINE SQUARE PIANO. Four round corners, seven octaves, carved legs, in fine condition. $10 down and $6 a month, at GARDNER'S Music Store, 45 PRESCOTT ST., LOWELL, MASS.

SPECULATION. HAMMOND & CO., Stock and Bond Brokers, 130 and 132 Pearl Street, New York City, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds and Grain bought, sold or carried on Margin. P. S.—Send for explanatory circular on speculation, also weekly market letter. (Free.)

W. A. LEW. 40 John Street. Clothing, Cleansed, Dyed and Pressed. Orders received for cleaning dying and pressing promptly and neatly executed.

HINTS FOR PHOTOGRAPHERS

HOW TO CLEAN LENSES AFTER USE.

The Inside Workings of Photography Show it to be a Fine Art—Other Matters.

Mere dust can be removed with a camel's hair brush, there being nowhere found any opinions forbidding that. But in the changes of an ordinary climate a lens will get considerably blurred with filmy accumulations, even though it may never have been touched by the hand or brought in contact with grease in any form. A practical photographer once said that if a finger mark should come upon a lens which he valued very highly he would immediately return it to its European manufacturers. He would not dare to touch it himself.

Any one may venture upon taking an objective apart and cleaning it, provided he will only do it carefully.

In the first place "do not use either fine chamois skin, tissue paper or an old silk handkerchief, or any other such material as is usually advised." Use cheesecloth. It is not the wiping material, though, that is apt to do the mischief, but the fine dust particles, which may be silicious and become attached to the glass. This is the way to begin on the objective:

Take a wooden bowl, cleaned with soap and water, then half fill it with clean water of about the same temperature as the glass and put in a teaspoonful of ammonia in half a pail of water. First wash a piece of cheesecloth thoroughly with soap and water and rinse and clean. Then place it in the bowl or pail, so that the lens won't slip. Never use the same piece of cheesecloth twice.

Mr. Brashear says that when the lens has been dusted and placed in the water he prefers to rub it with the palms of his cleaned hands, although cheesecloth is good. There seems to be absolutely no danger of scratching it when plenty of water is used. When thoroughly washed, take the glass out, lay it on a bundle of cheesecloth, and use several pieces of the same, which have been previously washed clean and dried, and dry it. Don't let it drain dry. Take up all the moisture with the cloth. Vigorous rubbing will do no harm if the surfaces have no abrading material.

An objective can be cleaned without taking it out of its cell. First dust off the particles, then use the cheesecloth with soap and water. Go over the surface gently with one piece of cloth and throw it away and take another, then a third one. When the glass is clean, take a piece of dry cloth and dry it.

Of course photographic lenses can be cleaned in the same way.

How to Make Shoe Dressing at Home.

A soft dressing that is less injurious than the majority of polishes found in the market is made by mixing to a smooth paste vaseline or cosmoline and lampblack. Apply a very little with a flannel cloth and rub in thoroughly. The oil fills up the pores and renders the leather almost waterproof after using it several times. This dressing does not impart a high gloss to the leather, but merely softens and colors it. Where a polish is desired the liquid dressings are preferable.

How to Stuff Lobster Tails.

Cut in three-sixteenths of an inch squares a pound of lobster meat cooked in court bouillon. To prepare the court bouillon mince up 2 ounces of onions, 2 ounces of celery root, 2 ounces of carrots and put them into a saucepan with a branch of parsley, thyme and bay leaf; also a pint of water, some salt and a pint of white wine. Let boil for ten minutes. Add to these half the same quantity of cooked mushrooms, cut up the same size. Fry colorless in butter 2 tablespoonfuls of onions. Add 2 ounces of flour and fry without browning. Dilute with a pint of milk and cook again for a few minutes. Then add the lobster, mushrooms. Mix well. Boil up once, remove and cool off. Fill the half tail shells, well cleaned and dried, with this preparation. Dredge over bread crumbs, besprinkle with butter and brown them in a hot oven.

How to Use Lemons on the Hair.

A lemon cut in half, or, better still, in quarters, so that the pulp can easily be applied to the roots of the hair, will stop any ordinary case of falling out. It is an agreeable remedy. Besides being cool and pleasant to the skin, the scent, unlike that left by the petroleum cure, is distinctly refreshing, and it also has the merit of cheapness.

How to Make Oatmeal Bags.

Take 5 pounds of oatmeal, ground fine, a half pound of castile soap, reduced to powder, and a pound of powdered Italian orris root. Cut a yard of thin cheesecloth into bags about four inches square, sewing them on the machine and taking care not to leave any untied threads where a break may let the contents ooze out. Mix the soap, oatmeal and orris root thoroughly and fill the bags loosely. Sew up the opening in each and lay them away to be used as required. They are used as a sponge dipped in warm water, making a thick velvet lather and wonderfully softening the skin while the orris imparts a lasting fragrance.

How to Cure Mosquito Bites.

Apply spirits of hartshorn diluted with twice as much water or sal volatile or cologne. If the part is left puffy and swelled after the tingling has abated, rub it with soap liniment. A piece of raw onion is also most efficacious for bites and stings. The following is a cure and a deterrent: A paste made of the plant Pyrethrum roseum, mixed with spirits, diluted with twice as much water as spirits. This applied will cure the bite and prevent others, as the odor will keep away the mosquito.

Unfair Competition.

Customer—Fifty cents for filling this prescription? Why, at the drug store down the street they charge me only a quarter.

Druggist—That's all it's worth at that store, ma'am. They put about 4 cents' worth of drugs in the bottle and then fill it up with water. I put in the same drugs and fill the bottle with the finest aqua pura. Thanks. Anything else?—Chicago Tribune.

WHITES VS. BLACKS.

Row In a South Carolina Town May Lead to Serious Disturbances.

BATH, S. C., March 28.—Trouble has arisen between whites and blacks at the site of the new mill of the Aiken Manufacturing company. A party of white men began firing on the negroes assembled to do the work on the mill building. The negroes were notified by the white men to leave town in 15 minutes. They refused to obey the order, and the shooting commenced.

It seems that the shots were fired into the air, and were intended to frighten and not to kill. The object was, of course, to run the negroes off and give the whites a chance to do the work. It is said that one negro was struck in the leg. The negroes fled to the swamps, where they remained all night. They returned to town and are at work. All is quiet for the present, but further trouble is looked for.

Last Heard From In Boston.

HALIFAX, March 28.—William Gibson, son of the city tax collector, is missing. Some weeks ago Gibson received word from his son, who was in Boston, stating that he was coming home. It is known that he purchased his ticket and placed his luggage on board the steamer Yarmouth at Boston, but that he failed to board the steamer itself. Gibson had a large sum of money on his person, which gives rise to the theory he has met with foul play. He is 25 years old.

Fighting the Lottery.

WASHINGTON, March 28. — All mails hereafter addressed to F. J. Domarest, Puerto Cortez, Honduras, or care of the Central American express, Port Tampa City, Fla., will be stopped by the government. Domarest is the president of the Honduras Lottery company.

Ordered to Peru.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Orders have been sent to Mare island to have the United States coast defense ship Monterey proceed to Peru. It has been felt desirable to have a United States warship at Callao to look after American interests in case they are endangered.

Cordage Trust Difficulties.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Mr. Whitehead, of the law firm of Martin & Smith, has applied for the appointment of a receiver for the National Cordage syndicate on behalf of Eliza A. Wall, a partner in the firm of William Wall's Sons, manufacturers of cordage.

Cashier Charged With Theft.

CHICAGO, March 28.—W. Irving Carpenter, assistant cashier of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad at the Englewood station, is charged with the embezzlement of over $1600 of the company's money.

Died of Blood Poisoning.

CHICAGO, March 28.—Morris St. P. Thomas, one of the best known members of the Chicago bar, is dying, the result of blood poisoning. His sickness was brought about by a slight cut on the hand by glass.

Seven Millions Involved.

BUTTE, Mon., March 28.—The Davis will contest, involving about $7,000,000, ended yesterday by mutual agreement between the heirs. The will was admitted to probate and a decree of distribution entered.

Laurier Is Sick.

MONTREAL, March 28.—Wilfred Laurier, leader of the Opposition, left yesterday for his home. He will have to undergo an operation shortly on the right side of his face for a neuralgic affection.

As Expected.

BROOKLYN, March 28.—President Norton and Superintendent Quinn of the Atlantic Avenue Railroad company, who were charged with violating the 10-hour law, were acquitted.

Verdict For the Plaintiff.

SPRINGFIELD, March 28.—A verdict of $7500 was rendered against the Connecticut River railroad in the suit of George Bronilette for damages for injuries received.

Appealed Their Cases.

BARNSTABLE, Mass., March 28.—Charles H. Meiggs and Chester Baxter were fined $100 each for the alleged illegal killing of deer. Both men appealed.

Able to Go Out.

BRISTOL, R. I., March 28.—Nat Herreshoff visited the south shop of the syndicate's works yesterday for the first time in a month.

F. B. R. Officials Organize.

PHILADELPHIA, March 28.—The newly elected board of directors of the Pennsylvania railroad reorganized yesterday. President Roberts was unanimously reelected.

Cincinnati Bank Assigns.

CINCINNATI, March 28.—The Commercial bank yesterday assigned to W. H. Campbell, its cashier. Cashier Campbell stated that the bank had temporarily suspended payment, and would be all right in a few days. The Commercial bank was founded in 1881. A number of old-time solid financiers have been identified with the institution.

Rank Lawlessness.

WINSTON, N. C., March 28.—A crowd went to the home of a farmer near here and shot him through the thigh. The home of the farmer's son was torn down completely. They then burned an unoccupied house belonging to another son. The father and two sons were witnesses in a case against a moonshiner.

Two Robbers' Big Job.

LITTLE ROCK, March 28.—A train on the Iron Mountain was held up by robbers last night near Williamsville by two men, who robbed the express car. The conductor lost his watch and money, and it is supposed the passengers were also robbed, but details of the holdup are lacking.

Sunken Propeller Raised.

NEW LONDON, March 28.—The propeller Metropolitan, which was sunk in collision with the tug T. A. Scott, was raised yesterday and towed to Noank for repairs. An investigation will be held to locate the blame.

Fleming's Offer.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Matchmaker Fleming of the National Sporting club of London announces that Dick Burge agrees to fight Tommy Ryan in London on Nov. 25, at 140 or 142 pounds weight, for $5000 a side.

Springfield Merchants at a Banquet.

SPRINGFIELD, March 28. — The fifth annual banquet of the board of trade passed off very successfully last evening. General Francis A. Walker of Boston addressed the meeting on "Bi-Metallism."

Four Years For Perjury.

BOSTON, March 28.—Lawrence A. Jacobs was sentenced yesterday to four years in the state prison for perjury. Jacobs was charged with willfully swearing falsely as to the value of his property.

Right in Spring Fashion.

All or nearly all the young people who have been playing whist and dancing together this winter are exchanging photos. Freeman, in post office block, is doing the work. His pictures are gems for posing and finish.

FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION Of Yesterday.

NOT THIS TIME

Did the "Hold Up" Work With an Express.

THREE ROBBERS FELL BEFORE THE BULLETS.

Trainmen Were Warned of the Intended Raid.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

GREENWOOD, Ky., March 27.—One of the most daring "hold-ups" of express trains was that attempted at 1.30 a. m., on the south-bound Queen and Crescent train from Cincinnati. Six men tried to do the job and of them one was killed, one died at 4.30, another named Miller is dying and three took to the woods, while the train was only delayed ten minutes and got through to Chattanooga on time.

When the train was stopped the robbers were met with a volley. The officials were all armed, as they had been warned of the hold-up. The safe in the express car which had valuable treasure was untouched.

WORK FOR HOME MISSIONS

CONCLUSIVELY SHOWN BY THE WORK OF THE POLICE COURT.

Agent Drury Tells of an Incident Connected With the Arrest of a Husband and Wife—Several Cases Probated and Other Offenders Sent to Jail.

Two drunks were released.

Thomas Hart, a drunk, was asked if he had anything to say:

"Nop," said Hart quickly.

"Sentence him to jail for eight months" said the court.

"I appeal," exclaimed Hart in a very "tough" tone of voice.

"Hold on, I'll take the eight" he added when told that the Superior court does not sit until June.

Mary A. Cutting, a drunk with a bad record received six months at the workhouse. Her husband, Edward got five months. A queer fact connected with the arrest of the two occurred this morning when Agent Drury went into the house for evidence. He heard a peculiar sound coming from the bed room and going in was surprised to find that during the night a tramp dog had strayed into the house and at the time of the agent's visit was nursing a newly born litter in the only bed in the house.

John F. Sheehy was sent to jail for six months.

Andrew Smith pleaded not guilty of drunkenness and told a story which impressed everyone who heard it. His case was continued until tomorrow.

John O'Neil pleaded not guilty to the charge of being a common drunkard. Officer Hurley said he had seen him drunk eight times since January 12, at all hours of the night. Officer Crowley had seen him drunk six times since Sept. 1. Officer Grinnell had seen him drunk five times since January. Officer Lane had seen him several times intoxicated. Thus he is known to the four Belvidere officers. Then, Officer Clements knew him and had seen him drunk several times. O'Neil testified that he worked in Whittier's Cotton mills. He didn't think he had been in but once in a year. "Why, said the court, "I've seen you in here three or four times within six months." The court remembered the cases and the circumstances connected with them. O'Neil was sent to jail for six months. He appealed. "Mr. Officer call up that appealed case in which the court placed O'Neil on probation. I will see what becomes of these appealed cases." Then O'Neil desired to withdraw his appeal.

ALLEGED SWILL CASES.

Agent Drury Goes Investigating and Takes Joanna Cummings of Chelmsford Into Custody.

As the outcome of numerous complaints Agent Drury of the Humane society has visited several places in Chelmsford, of late to see if swill was being fed to cattle or horses.

He visited Joanna Cummings' place near Parkhurst's hot houses, yesterday, and today he arrested her on a complaint charging that swill had been fed to two horses in her barn.

Agent Drury says that yesterday at the barn he found a bucket of swill in a crib from which a horse was feeding.

The swill was a mixed up mess of fish heads, wood, nails, pieces of glass, hunks of meat, and other choice articles, which at some time or other contributed to a sumptuous menu and the latest style of dress. A copious sample of the mixture is now on ice.

Mr. Drury says that in an adjoining crib was a similar mixture. The full story will probably come out in court.

It is said that Mrs. Cummings owns the farm. She has one daughter.

No gentleman is popular unless the ladies say so. Ladies, vote for the man of your choice and he will carry off the prize.

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LOCAL NOTES.

The post office inspectors have left town. What will their reports be?

Mr. Carl J. E. Santesson a selectman of Stoddard, N. H., is the guest of Mr. John Mountford, of Thorndike street.

Capt. Redford W. Sargent, marine superintendent of Cramps' shipyard will be a speaker at the board of trade banquet.

The members of Garfield colony, Pilgrim Fathers, and their friends, enjoyed a complimentary entertainment and sociable last evening in Pilgrim hall.

The Tuesday night class which for four years has met at Lester's, has chosen George F. Scribner, president and Miss Marion Miller, secretary.

Lowell Lady Goes to Franklin.

The only intention recorded at the city clerk's office today was Wilbert F. Varnum, 33, to Eva J. Nickerson, 27., Franklin, Mass.

Mr. Leighton Won the Play-off.

The billiard play-off at the Highland club last evening between Messrs. Leighton and Church resulted in a victory for the former by a score of 90 to 51.

Considered Living Pictures Immoral.

A New York judge who tried the cases against Manager Aronson of the New York Casino and two actresses, yesterday, declared the exhibition of living pictures where the women posed in the nude, excepting a covering of bronze paint, to be immoral. The defendants were held for trial.

A Bad Lowell Man.

A man hit Lieut. Rosatto of the Boston police force, in the neck, last night, while coming through Hanover street. He hit him a second time and then the officer landed the man in the police station. The prisoner said he was Charles Ladooniro, an Armenian of Lowell.

The Plaintiffs Are Many.

The case of McNabb vs. Rowland, J. H. Morrison for the plaintiff and Messrs. Pickman & Harvey for the defendant is now on. This action is brought by Duncan, Donald, John and Gilbert McNabb, Andrew Livingstone and Jean Cochrane as administratrix of the estate of Donald Cochrane against Charles T. Rowland to recover damages in the amount of $2000. The case grows out of an attachment made upon the plaintiffs by the defendant in 1882.

Memorial Day Officers.

Capt. J. P. Thompson as chief marshal for Memorial day has appointed Col. Albert Pindar chief of staff, and Capt. C. H. Kimball clerk.

The Casinos of Lowell went to Lawrence last evening and bowled the Abbotts on Stanley's alleys. The Lowell boys scored a victory, leading their down river rivals easily. The score:

Casinos — Murphy 460, Donohoe 448, Mellen 484, Poore 429, Sparks 423; total 2344.

Abbotts—Needham 463, Stanley 416, Golden 412, Mahoney 430, Lanigan 498; total 2198.

Tell your friends to save their coupons and vote for their favorite. The early votes are usually wasted when they could easily win the contest. Don't throw a vote away.

J. L. CHALIFOUX.

TODAY WE BEGIN SELLING

WOMEN'S SHIRT WAISTS FOR THE SPRING OF '95.

About the time snow began falling last November, we made contracts with the best waist manufacturers in this country, and the orders were big enough to make an impression in the market; the result—more waists came here within a few weeks than ever came to one house in Lowell.

Come today if you can, and see the biggest display of Shirt waists ever shown in this city.

You know that there's a difference in shirt waists. It has grown to be a big business and lots of people have started cutting cloth into what they think are waists, when really it requires years of experience to make waists right. A laundered waist, poorly made, is one of the meanest articles of clothing.

Our manufacturers allowed no skimping or slighting, no haphazard styles.

The prices are extremely reasonable, more so when you think of the extra materials required for the big sleeves.

J. L. CHALIFOUX

Central and Middle Streets.

CONSUMPTION

TO THE EDITOR—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy free to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and post office address. Respectfully, T. A. Slocum, M. C., No. 183 Pearl Street, New York.

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To those who are pleased with really fine artistic goods, we would like to have you call and inspect the most complete assortment of NIGHT GOWNS, DRAWERS, CORSET COVERS, INFANTS' SLIPS, CHEMISES, LONG SKIRTS, SHORT SKIRTS, INFANTS' SHORT DRESSES. In BRIDAL SETS we are showing some extreme novelties, beautiful things, in new shapes, trimmed in the most taking arrangements. It can't be found elsewhere in Lowell.

Merrimack Street—Gallery.

Men's Underwear.

The prices we charge for Men's Underwear are much less for the same quality than gent's furnishers are able to sell their goods for. The quality we guarantee to be the best for the price. All garments are cut after the best fitting patterns.

Spring Weight Goods.

Men's Gray and Camel's Hair Shirts and Drawers, 25c.

Men's Gray and Camel's Hair (Merino) Shirts and Drawers, 50c.

Men's White (Merino) Shirts and Drawers, 75c.

Men's Light Weight Wool Shirts and Drawers, in white and grey, $1.

Ladies' Hosiery.

The great success of our Hosiery Department is "the quality and the prices" of every line we carry. We guarantee everything just as they are represented, and the one great feature is the assortment, every style, every quality and every price.

Ladies' Cotton Hose, with white feet or white soles, fast black, at three prices (—25, 38 and 50c.

Ladies' Fast Black Cotton Hose, last year's price 50c. a pair, this year 3 pairs for $1; they are worthy of an inspection.

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Black Dress Goods.

Black Drsss Goods are the latest fad, all classes have caught it, the conservative and elaborate dressers alike. Our stock has been increased to double our former assortment to meet the demand and our prices are only fair.

Black Crepons.

46 inches wide 89c,
44 inches wide $1.
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Many weaves of the above.

Figured Novelties.

37 inches wide, 37 1-2 cents.
38 inches wide, 69 cents.
38 inches wide, 75 cents.
40 inches wide, 89 cents.
44 inches wide, $1.25.
Our own patterns.

Figured Mohair.

44 inches wide, $1.00
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Black Dress Linings

For furnishings of all kinds of Black Goods.
Common Black Cambric,
Fast Black Cambric,
Fast Black Silesias,
Fast Black Percalines,
Fast Black Surah Lining,
Fast Black French Silesia,
All qualities Black Canvas,
All grades Black Hair Cloth,
Black Victor Lining,
Black Grass Cloth,
Black Grassine.
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For Boston, at 6.50, 8.15, 9.30, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 12.47, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.00 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 4.15, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.50, 9.30, 10.50, a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.00 (11.25 Wednesdays and Saturdays only) p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Haverhill, 8.30, 9.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, (11.25 Wednesdays and Saturdays only) p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Salem and Lynn, 12.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport and Amesbury, 12.05, 2.30, 4.10, 5.10 p. m.

For Exeter, and Dover, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p.m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.10 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls Saco and Portland 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 4.10, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p.m.

For Augusta, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Waterville, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.05, 5.10 p.m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

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☞Time below is from Middlesex street station.

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For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene—9.14 a. m. and 3.43 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, Auburn, Bennington and Hillsboro', 2.00 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord 7.07 9.14 (Nashua only), 9.45, a.m.; 12.11, 1.50, 3.43, 5.42, 6.21, 8.13, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.05, a.m. (to Nashua only), 3 a.m., 2.00, 6.00 8.15, 8.43 p. m.

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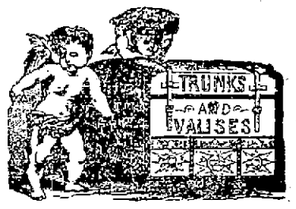

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Later News in Six O'clcok Extra.

MICHAEL J. MARTIN GUILTY

SO SAID THE JURY IN THE MANSLAUGHTER CASE.

This Result Was Reached After Six Hours Debate—Case Will Probably be Taken Up on Exceptions.

The jury in the Middlesex Superior court in East Cambridge, which heard the case of Michael J. Martin of Lowell, charged with manslaughter in causing the death of Patrick Buckley, Oct. 21 last, brought in a verdict of guilty yesterday afternoon. Sentence was not imposed.

The case has attracted considerable attention. Martin is only 17 years old. It was alleged that he threw a stone which struck Mr. Buckley, who was an old man, fracturing his skull, death resulting a few hours afterward.

It was not claimed that Martin had any motive to commit the crime. The government claimed that Martin had trouble with persons in a saloon on Concord street and upon leaving the saloon that he threw stones at them.

Mr. Buckley was a disinterested party, and at the time of the stone throwing was standing some distance away, talking with his son. The claim of the government was that Martin, if he did not throw the stone which caused the death of Buckley, was at least one of the men who were assailing James T. Roche and his friends.

Dist.-Atty. Weir and Asst. Dist.-Atty. Sanderson prosecuted the case for the government, and Martin was defended by Mayor Courtney of Lowell.

Mayor Courtney has filed a number of exceptions which will be argued before the Supreme court. The maximum sentence is 20 years but the youthfulness of the defendant and the nature of the testimony is likely to result in a comparatively light sentence.

NEW INSANITY LAW.

Effort Being Made to Get Better Certification in Cases of Insanity.

In the senate the committee on public charitable institutions has reported a bill providing that in any hearing held for the commitment of any person alleged to be insane to a lunatic hospital, asylum or other place provided by law, no one shall be qualified as a physician to make to a judge a certificate of the insanity of the person unless he is a graduate of a legally chartered school or college, in practice of his profession in this commonwealth for three years at least, and is duly registered, and unless his standing, character and professional knowledge of insanity is satisfactory to said judge.

Each certificate bearing date more than 10 days prior to any commitment of any person alleged to be insane shall be null and void; and none shall be valid, or received in evidence, if signed by any physician holding any office in the hospital or asylum to which the person may be committed.

LOCAL NOTES.

Mr. Otto Muller of Lawrence was in this city yesterday.

A meeting of the water board has been called for this evening.

Joe Flaherty will challenge the winner of a match soon to come off at the Seaside athletic club.

The street department and the street railway company have been asked to remove the rubbish deposited on the commons.

The New England whist association convention will occur on Patriots' day and the Highland club of Lowell will take part in it.

Dr. W. B. Jackson gave an informal talk at the Middlesex woman's club yesterday, and told of the different species of bacteria.

The annual Easter sale of the Ladies' Benevolent society of the First Congregational church opened last evening and was attended by a great crowd.

Court Columbus, A. O. F. of A., has chosen Messrs A. Bourbonniere, Dennis Healey and James McCusker delegates to the state A. O. F. convention.

"John, the orangeman" was unfortunate enough to get into the Cambridge police court yesterday. Over jubilation caused liquidation, and a fine.

Green says his business is good in pianos and sewing machines by selling cheap and giving satisfaction. He repairs watches and jewelry cheaper than any house in Lowell. Green's, 86 Merrimack street.

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ON THE DIAMOND

How Association is Preparing For the Season.

PLAYERS ASSIGNED TO THE SEVERAL CLUBS.

Nearly All Are Young and Unbroken Men.

The first assignment of players to the Lowell club was announced in THE SUN extra yesterday afternoon. Excepting Van Allystn who has a good record with the Fall River team, all the men on the team and in fact in the association are practically unknown. Ed. Flanagan is a first-class man, George Moore, who goes to Lawrence, played with Pawtucket last season.

The allotment of players is as follows:

Salem—J. M. Corrigan, John McManus, D. J. Murphy, Charles McGraw, Charles Moore, William C. Regan, John Shaffer, Frank McSteen, Martin Loftus, P. J. Hagerty, Philip Jason, William Carey.

Fitchburg—Edward Lee, W. J. Scanlan, F. M. Donovan, Thomas H. McNally, J. C. Stoutt, W. B. Clements, W. J. McGee, F. W. Popky, Fred Creves, Peter Campbell, G. H. Standigle; P. L. Nash, W. V. Gillis, Thomas J. Whalen.

Lawrence—J. B. Kelley, M. Burke, G. P. Richardson, Al Strowger, J. T. Burke, T. E. Clougherty, Grant Myler, John Irwin, G. H. Lee, J. J. O'Connell, G. R. Moore, Michael Leonard, Austin Ball, Claude Scribner, J. D. Bradley, J. J. Dillane, J. McCracken.

Haverhill—Daniel Lucey, G. Hacker, M. Standish, R. Standish, J. Hofford, A. E. Brinton, Carl Samuelson, C. J. Conley, P. J. Rooney, M. F. Friel, James Hutchinson, John Sheehan, G. W. Grant, O. R. Clayton, J. C. Kennedy.

Nashua—F. S. Luchia, E. J. O'Harra, C. Beringer, S. Ansell, W. Thursby, F. A. Pigeon, W. J. Morgan, M. F. Birmingham, J. J. O'Harra, Mark B. Gill, Alfred Shaw, James Stokes, John Downs, Thomas Hanley, Frank Myers, Frank Walcott.

The Mathew's base ball team for the season will be made up as follows: Farrell and Donavan, catchers; Roach and McCarthy, pitchers; Henry Maguire 1b and capt; Steve Castles, second base; Slines, s. s., McGuirk, third base; Mullen, left field; Lyons, center; Vaughn, right. The association team will have to look to its laurels for the Mathews will be after its scalp. The opening games will be at Fitchburg on April 19th with the regular team, and in Lowell the 20th against the Lowells. Besides their regular team there are enough young colts in the institute to make up another hustling team. Who says base ball is dead in Lowell?

The decision to have home clubs settle expenses on rainy days is a sensible one. Electric car fares will be the only expenses.

Manager Mahoney said to THE SUN after the meeting that he would get the history of each player before ordering them to report April 15th, then to fill vacancies he will sign good players wherever he can get them.

Next week he will start out to find out how much support will be given the game, in a financial way. If he can get the support he is certain of giving the Lowell public a good quality of ball. He will endeavor to get Manager Sullivan of the railway company to assist in securing the Dracut grounds.

Among the players who want a Lowell engagement is George Tofin, the former second baseman.

One of the Lowell players is recommended as a sprinter.

The Lowell Reform club has organized a base ball team with the following players: James McCluskey r., William Forbes s., Joseph Coughlin 1, William Cronin p., D. Hallowell c., Healey l., Mulvey 2, Mack 3, Edward Cronin m., James McCluskey, manager; William Cronin, captain.

A number of the friends of Billy Gallagher of the Toledo Base Ball club assembled at the residence of Mr. Edward McCashin on Cumberland road, Tuesday evening, and tendered the popular ball tosser a merry time before his departure. A number of useful articles were presented him by his friends.

The practice league team games yesterday resulted in Washington defeating Boston 15 to 5. The Baltimores defeated the New Orleans 15 to 4.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

MCDONALD.—At the Immaculate Conception church this morning a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Dacey, O. M. I. for the repose of the soul of the late Elizabeth McDonald. The church was filled with relatives and friends of the deceased. The choir directed by Prof. Haggerty rendered Schmidt's requiem mass. The pall bearers were Messrs. James Cox, Andrew Fahey, James Clinton, William McDonald, Patrick Kane and John Brunette. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

CHRISTIE—The funeral of David Christie, whose remains were found in the woods at Tewksbury, on Sunday, occurred this afternoon from the Edson chapel where services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Sayers. Interment was in the Edson cemetery.

HILLS—The funeral of the late George A. Hills occurred this afternoon from his late home, 4 Fairmount street at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Batchellor officiated at the funeral services and Charles H. Coburn had charge of the arrangements. The interment was in the Lowell cemetery in charge of J. B. Currier.

SPALDING—The remains of the late Dr. Charles P. Spalding were consigned to their last resting place this afternoon. Funeral services were conducted at the home, 1039 Middlesex street, by Rev. Mr. Batchelor, assisted by Rev. George C. Wright. Music was rendered by the Unitarian church choir. The bearers were Dr. Viles, Dr. Chadbourne, Dr. Huntress and Dr. Jackson. The interment was in charge of J. B. Currier in the Lowell cemetery.

The Lowell Bankers Won.

At Lawrence last night the Lowell Bankers defeated the Lawrence Canoe club at bowling, 2507 to 2397. The Lowell men's scores were: Perley 516, Swift 430, Knapp 492, Clogston 523, Smith 537.

The Calumet club defeated the Palace team 2533 to 2420 on the same alleys. The Lowell men bowled as follows: Sparks 501, Gregory 541, Tuttle 508, Carpenter 454, Hull 529.

Here Are Two Intentions.

The following intentions were recorded at the city clerk's office today: Fred J. Clark 37, to Agnes M. Clark 24, East Weymouth. Joseph Gargan 22, to Katie Dillon 19.

OUR UNCLE SAM'S BIG GIFT

IT IS THE FEDERAL BUILDING NOW READY FOR USE.

Postmaster Pearson and His Force Will Move in on Saturday Night and Business at the New Stand Will Open on Monday.

Unless the unexpected happens, next Monday morning will find Postmaster Pearson and his staff of clerks and carriers occupying Uncle Sam's imposing structure which stands at the corner of Gorham and Appleton streets, where St. Peter's church once stood, and for the construction of which, congress on April 5, 1888, appropriated $200,000.

Apartments have been provided in the building for the post office and the district department of internal revenue collection. In the construction of the building, granite was used, a portion of which was hammered and the remainder quarry faced.

The interior of the building is finished in a model manner. The flooring throughout is of Vermont marble quarried at Swanton, Vt. The wood work finish is in oak and is what is called hard wood finish. The stairways leading from one floor to another are built entirely of iron.

The first floor is devoted to the post office department. Here is the large work room in which the mail is received, sorted and delivered, shut-off from the large public corridor by a partition in which are the stamp windows and private mail boxes. One half of this partitioned portion is devoted to the work in which the clerks are engaged and the other half to carriers' work. The private boxes are of three sizes and have a heavy bevelled plate glass front, on which the number of the box is painted. Adjoining the work-rooms, at the west end of the building, is Assistant Postmaster Richardson's office, neatly fitted with oak desk, and furniture to match. Next to this is the money order department which is not yet ready for occupancy, as the gates of iron grill wire ornament which will secure the windows of this department, have not yet been placed in position. At first it was intended that this room should be occupied by the postmaster, but this plan was afterward changed.

On the second floor one large room facing on Gorham street and commanding a view down Central street, will be devoted to the board of civil service examiners.

Deputy Collector "Dick" Donovan will receive his patrons in cozy quarters fronting on Gorham street, and situated directly over the Gorham street entrance to the building.

Then there are three offices on this floor which as yet are unassigned. Janitor McGrath will be at home in fine quarters close by those of the postmaster and facing on Appleton street.

Postmaster Pearson will have ample room. Two offices directly over those occupied by the money order department and the assistant postmaster have been assigned to him. One of these is intended as a public office; the other for the transaction of private business. Both are finely furnished with desks, chairs and fire places and carpeted. In the private office is a large vault. Next to the postmaster's quarters is the toilet room, and then a large spare room which will probably be used as a store room. Running the entire length of this floor is a corridor which commands a view of the work room below. The tower is reached by means of a winding iron stairway.

In the basement are the boiler rooms, and a large room in which the carriers may spend their spare moments. The public will enter the building by the two entrances on Appleton street and one on Gorham street. A forty foot roadway will run all around the building. Arrangements have been made for gas and electric lighting and Farrell & Conaton expect to have the fixtures in by Saturday. Should they succeed in doing this, the building will be open for business next Monday morning.

FISTIC GOSSIP.

John L. Sullivan, once again has sworn off, and will train for a fight. He says there are a couple of fighters he would like to meet, O'Donnell and Kilrain. Corbett has repeatedly stated that he is sure that O'Donnell can beat any man living, bar himself, so I will give him the first chance. Some of my friends have already been talking for such a match, but Charley Johnson telegraphed me that O'Donnell's backers are trying to dodge me by saying that he is matched with Peter Maher. The match they referred to was made long before Corbett sent out his challenge on behalf of O'Donnell to fight any man in the world, and I want to accept that challenge. No one can say that John L. Sullivan ever issued a challenge or offered to fight that he was not strictly in earnest. When I challenged I always meant business, and all pugilists that want to stand well should be the same way."

"Supposing O'Donnell won't fight you, then who will you be willing to fight?"

"I will give Jake Kilrain the next chance. If he thinks he is my superior today, I will give him another try, and I will beat him easier than I did before."

"In case neither O'Donnell nor Kilrain will entertain your offer, have you any other man in view?"

"Yes, I have, but I won't speak of them just now. They will keep. Both of those that I have referred to have said that they would box me, and I will hesitate about any other man, until I have forced an issue of some kind with them."

In conclusion, Sullivan said that he was going to train slowly and carefully, and in every way take good care of himself, as he is certain that the time is not far distant when he will again enter the ring.

EUROPEAN TRIP CONTEST.

There were three changes in totals, yesterday, besides one vote cast for Lawyer Jerome F. Manning. In a bunch of 50 ballots came a note complimentary to Mr. John Hughes of Div. 1, A. O. H., and also a popular member of the Y. M. C. L., and expressing a wish for his final triumph. The list today is as follows:

John J. Henley, Suffolk street, baker	2010
P. O'Rourke, 1 Lagrange street	1557
Michael P. Regan, Gorham & Union sts.	1218
J. T. Whittaker, Congress St.	1007
Charles Ablitt, 14 Andrew street	712
M. J. Horan, 13 Lagrange	700
John B. Clancy, 90 Crosby street	615
Mr. Finnegan, 31 Kidder street	352
John Hughes, 32 High street	275
Joseph Ashworth, Chambers street	200
W. R. Kennedy, 57 Willow street	110
W. Booth, E. Merrimack street	108
John F. Tansey, 30 Pleasant st.	107
James McCarron, 44 Gorham street	100
Michael F. O'Brien, 607 Market street	75
John J. Leary, 6 Lewis street	70
E. R. Donovan, 124 Gorham street	69
Owen Tryhe, 548 Gorham st.	60
John Boyle, 25 Read street	50
James McDonald, 9 Wall street	50
R. H. Harkins, Cigar Mfg.	41
Fred Elgeld, 240 High st.	36
M. J. Lynch, 46 Second avenue	35
John Doherty, 83 Beach street	35
John Muldoon, 7 Chase street	30
George E. Putnam, 26 Read street	30
Thomas McCaffrey, 81 Bartlett street	25
Walter V. Hickey, pres. M. T. I.	23
M. Shanley, 38 Lawrence street	23
L. Decker, 1096 Bridge street	23
J. L. Nudd, 599 Central street	22

CONROY'S SPITE

Made Him Throw That Lime at Richardson.

IMPULSE OF THE MOMENT CARRIED OUT.

Had Brooded Over Religious Taunts and Twittings.

Patrick Conroy was brought here from Bridgeport on the boat train, last night, and was arraigned in the police court this morning. Chief Davis arrived in Bridgeport at 6 o'clock last night and got to Boston with his prisoner at 11 o'clock hurrying across the city just in time to catch the theatre train for Lowell.

The chief found Conroy seated in his cell smoking a pipe. He expressed a willingness to return.

"I have not had two hours sleep since Friday," he said. "Everybody I met I thought was chasing me."

He told the chief that after the assault he went to Boston and stayed there with friends until Tuesday night when he went to Bridgeport where some of his friends live. They advised him to surrender himself to the police and he did.

He said that Richardson always treated him well, but since St. Patrick's Day has been talking to him about the Catholics, and his religion until he got all worked up over it. Then the children angered him by waving A. P. A. flags at him.

He had no words with Richardson in the tool shed, Friday morning. "There was the lime," he said, "and somehow the devil got hold of me and I threw a handful of it in his face. I hardly knew what I was doing and am sorry for it."

Chief Davis believes that Conroy is cranky on religion.

Conroy was arraigned and he pleaded guilty to the charge of having assaulted Richardson. The court ordered him under $1200 bonds for his appearance before the grand jury in the June term.

The defendant told Chief Davis that besides the annoyance given him by Mr. Richardson after the St. Patrick's day parade, the latter renewed it after some so-called patriotic lecture in Huntington hall and kept up his slanderous attack upon the Catholic religion until he (Conroy) was nearly crazy. It is a significant fact that Mr. Richardson can't be interviewed, neither does he seem eager to push the case against Conroy.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

A Wonderful Response.

"Sowing the Wind" played for the third time to a crowded Opera house; scores of people were unable to secure seats and a return engagement has been booked. Mary Hampton and the same company, as previously, presented the drama in superb manner.

The Hustler Tonight.

For farce comedy pure and simple The Hustler tonight has few better competitors, Mathews and Bulger, the comedians, are two of the best playing comedy roles. They are original in everything they do. The Hustler is a money maker every time and ought to be a success here.

The Second Mrs. Tanqueray.

The Kendals do not need a lengthy introduction. Friday night they will play in The Second Mrs. Tanqueray, the most talked of drama of Pinero. Their original London company will support them.

In Darkest Russia.

This melodrama will also have an inning, Saturday. In Darkest Russia, a meritorious production based on a story of the Czar's dominion will be given by an excellent company. It is full of thrilling climaxes, strong dialogues, thoughtful action and an entrancing love story. It will be given by a well balanced company.

Pauline Hall Is Coming.

On Monday evening, Miss Pauline Hall will play Dorcas, a romance in which she has made a great hit. Her ability outside of opera is clearly shown in this production.

Hands Across the Sea.

J. E. Toole, the comedian closed a successful engagement at Music Hall last night, and left behind a wide acquaintanceship which will greet him on his next visit. Tonight "Hands Across the Sea" will begin for three nights. This melodrama is in reality the most successful ever staged. It holds the record for drawing powers at the Opera house, both for a single night or a week stand engagement. In being presented at popular prices an excellent company will be seen. Secure your seats only.

Mary Gertrude McKenzie, the talented young reader, entertained Joseph Haworth with a reading of the curse scene from Leah and other pieces, on Tuesday at the American house. Mr. Haworth predicted a brilliant future for her should she go on the stage.

Messrs. Snow and Foy of the Haworth company were the guests of Mr. W. S. Holt while in this city.

A BREAK REPORTED.

Two Batteries and a Bell Are Moved by Human Force.

A man who believes that electricity is a moving force broke into the new house of Mr. Edmund Brickett on Gibson street, Sunday night. He stole two batteries and an electric bell. Three neighbors saw the burglar, and from his description Mr. Brickett has found the man. If the articles are not returned there will be a complaint issued.

Of Special Interest.

The store of the Commercial Tea Co. is being enlarged to meet the demands of their increasing business.

They have something to announce in a few days that will interest every one.

Now for Chris Holmes' Event.

The snow on the ground today rather dispells the thoughts of opening, but nevertheless the swelling buds on maple trees indicates the approach of better days.

Chris Holmes began his opening of spring garments today and it will extend through Friday and Saturday. Every lady is anxious to learn all about the spring styles. Chris has them all.

Ladies, ladies you can settle this voting contest in your own way if you save your votes and vote for your most popular gentlemen friends. Any man worthy of such a prize is surely popular with the ladies.

5 O'CLOCK

MR. SIMPSON HAS REPENTED

SO HIS FORMER SWEETHEART WILL NOT PROSECUTE.

An Assault on a Peddler in Which the "Heavenly Twins," so Called Figured—Case of Alleged Feeding of Swill to Horses, Continued.

Two drunks were released.

Thomas Martin pleaded not guilty of drunkenness and two witnesses testified that he broke into a house in Fredericks court on Front street and fell on the door. When discovered he made his escape. Martin couldn't remember anything about it. He was sent to the workhouse for five months and appealed.

The "Heavenly Twins," known to every printer in town, were in for drunkenness. One didn't think he was drunk although he had been drinking. Both pleaded not guilty to the charge of assault and battery upon Abraham Grognec, a little bit of a man of Hebrew extraction, who said he was a "rags peddler." Grognec told a story, the greater part of which was unintelligible. "The little one hold me and the big one hit me one, two, three time on the eye." Finally the witness became so excited that he could do nothing but gesticulate, and Reporter Sternberg, who is a linguist, went to the rescue and interpreted his story.

He was going down Westford street when one of the men grabbed him and said "You're one of the people who killed Christ." Then the other struck him. They followed him afterwards and one blacked his eye while the other struck him in the arm. Two other witnesses testified that both men struck Grognec, and that one had a rock in his hand. Both defendants claimed that Grognec started the trouble. One was sent to the Massachusetts reformatory while the other, Cornelius Sullivan, who has never been in before was fined $20 to be paid in five days or three months in jail.

The case of Johanna Cummings was continued until tomorrow. She is the woman arrested by Agent Drury for alleged feeding of swill to horses.

John Simpson and Miss Hussey, "lovers once but strangers now," as Laura Jean Libbey would say, have patched up matters for Simpson has returned the ring and photo mentioned in last night's SUN. When John pays the costs, $2.38, everything will have been forgiven between the law and himself and eventually forgotten.

Hugh Wiley was sent to jail for four months on a charge of larceny.

Malachi Kilday, who was in for larceny of a coat proved to the court's satisfaction that he didn't steal it and was allowed to go free.

ABOUT LOWELL PEOPLE.

Very Rev. Fr. J. M. Guillard, O. M. I., is on a visit to Canada.

Rev. Charles H. Murkland, a Lowell boy, president of the N. H., State Agricultural college will be one of the speakers at the board of trade banquet which will be held next Wednesday evening.

Miss Halstead and Miss Carrie Halstead of Bartlett street entertained at whist last evening, four tables being in play. The honors fell to Mr. Harry E. Shaw and Miss Gertrude Burns and Mr. C. T. Cahill and Miss Long. There was also a consolation to Mr. Harry Bailey.

DEATHS.

BARNARD—Mrs. Elizabeth R. Barnard, aged 73 years, widow of Charles Barnard, a former resident of this city, died Tuesday at the residence of her son-in-law, A. W. Hutchins, in Malden. She leaves four children, W. F. Barnard, Mrs. Mary E. Morse and Ida F. Barnard of Malden, Charles E. Barnard of Los Angeles, Cal.

HOLDEN—Frederick A. Holden, aged 82 years, 8 months, died yesterday noon at his home, 46 Race street, after an illness of two days. He was probably the oldest native born resident of this city, having been born in a house which stood where the Ayer residence on Pawtucket street is now located. He was employed by the Locks & Canals company for nearly 45 years. The only society of which he was a member was the Old Residents' association. He leaves a widow, a few months his senior, a son, Horace G. Holden of Nashua, N. H., and two daughters, Mrs. Henry H. Fletcher of this city and Mrs. Charles H. Patterson of New York city.

PAIGE—Victor S. Paige, aged 40 years, died this morning at 33 Chelmsford street. Deceased was a well known store keeper on Middlesex street, and was a member of Wamesit lodge, M. U. O. F.

KENNEDY—Mary Kennedy, aged 65 years, died last evening at her home, 22 Brown street. The funeral will occur tomorrow morning from the Immaculate Conception church.

Florist McManmon of 3 Prescott street besides regular orders for floral tributes is preparing for Easter trade.

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PRES. LAPIERRE HAS LEFT

OBJECTED TO SOCIETY ST. JOSEPH MEDDLING WITH LICENSES.

Gave Up the Chair After the Meeting Had Disregarded His Remarks Which Were Opposed to Meddling in Politics.

The society St. Joseph composed entirely of French residents had an exciting meeting at which 'tis said the question of granting license in Little Canada was the cause of the trouble.

It is said that a motion was made that the society use its influence against the granting of liquor licenses in Little Canada.

President Lapierre spoke on the matter and said that such a matter was beyond the premise of the society which was a benevolent one and not interested in politics or licenses.

The motion was put, however, and Pres. Lapierre's remarks were disregarded, for the motion was carried almost unanimously.

Then, it is said, Mr. Lapierre left the chair and the meeting, saying: "I resign from the presidency and the society."

INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS.

Circular Call for the Conference of Textile Workers in Ghent.

A circular has been received here relating to the holding of the international congress of textile workers this year at Ghent from Aug. 4 to Aug. 10. Attention is called to the resolutions adopted at the last convention. Among them were the following: "This international textile congress, meeting in Manchester, in the Memorial hall, July 26, 1894, invites the governments of America and Europe to fix the maximum daily hours of labor at eight hours, or 48 hours per week, for adults and children of both sexes. The congress further invites the workers of all countries to bring pressure to bear on our respective parliaments, and by all legal possible means, notably by the election of labor candidates to the different legislative bodies, obtain an eight hour law.

"This congress considers that the method of advancing the wages and the general condition of the workers is to get practically the workers organized in trade unions with good reserve funds in hand, so as to be able to secure good advances of wages when opportunities occur, and to resist all reductions of wages; and, further, as supplementary of this to take such action as may be warranted by circumstances to secure for labor adequate representation in our governing bodies. This congress also protests against the laws of those countries where trades unions are forbidden to take political action, and invites the governments of those countries to abolish laws restricting freedom and that drive working men to adopt illegal means to attain their object."

MENTIONED NAMES.

Alleged Unfair Methods Exposed by a Member of the Bay State Legislature.

BOSTON, March 28.—The legislature for a second time has put itself on record as against the bill to compel railroad corporations to offer a uniform passenger rate of 2 cents a mile. Representative Gallivan raised a breeze in the house by alleging that two agents of the Bay State Gas company had by "unjust and unheard of methods" secured the passage of the bill permitting that corporation laying its pipes across Fort Point channel.

Representative Gallivan said: "I here and now charge Albert C. Burrage counsel for the Brookline Gas Light company, and registered legislative counsel for that corporation, and Walter J. D. Bullock of Fall River, another lobbyist of the Brookline company, with having used unfair, unjust and peculiar methods to secure the passage of this legislation."

Mr. Gallivan further said: "I most emphatically question the right of Albert C. Burrage, who is a subway commissioner, drawing $5000 a year from the city of Boston, to haunt the corridors and smoking rooms of this state house, prostituting his high public office, in his endeavors to influence the members of this legislature in behalf of the corporation which he represents."

The house negatived his motion to reconsider its vote on the bill.

The bill to amend the charter of the city of Lowell was passed to be engrossed. The house engrossed the bill to provide that tenement houses in the city of Boston shall have adequate open space at the rear to admit the sunlight and the air. The committee on cities reported a bill to revise the charter of the city of Lawrence. The bill giving the referendum to cities was reported to the next general court. Leave to withdraw was reported on the bill authorizing the payment of a gratuity to prisoners in state prison. An adverse report was received on the bill allowing the sale of oleomargarine or butterine in the original package, provided it is plainly labeled. A resolve was introduced asking the governor to request the president to investigate the treatment accorded American citizens in Turkey.

An Enormous Venture.

NEW YORK, March 28.—The culmination of protracted negotiations involving financial interests of great magnitude was signalized yesterday by the filing in New Jersey of incorporation articles of the Hudson River Navigation company. Prominent capitalists largely identified with Vanderbilt interests will secure control of passenger and freight traffic of the Hudson river between New York and tidewater at Albany and Troy.

Brutal Football Playing.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—The coroner's jury returned a verdict that George D. Bohen of the Georgetown university football team, who died from injuries received in a game with the Columbia Athletic club, came to his death from foul play, for which it was unable to fix the responsibility. The testimony was that the playing was most brutal.

Easy Way Out of It.

PITTSBURG, March 28.—The probabilities are now that the railroad miners will, as a body, refuse the offer of Pittsburg operators of 60 cents, but as individuals will go to work. The operators claim, and many of the miners believe, that they cannot afford to pay 69 cents a ton.

Southern Railroad Combine.

ATLANTA, March 28.—The meeting here to organize the new Southern States Passenger association to succeed the old Southern Passenger association obtained a sufficient number of signatures of railroads for membership to declare its existence.

Charged With Arson.

HARTFORD, March 28.—Dr. Malcolm R. Griswold, a dentist, was arrested yesterday for arson, on two counts, and for defrauding several insurance companies.

LATEST

SEEN THROUGH ENGLISH EYES

ENEMIES OF COTTON MILL OPERATIVES AND THEIR WORK.

Extracts From an English Textile Publication in Comparison of Trades and the Rate of Wages Paid to Those Working at Them.

In no other branch of industry, says the Manchester, Eng., Cotton Factory Times, do we find that the wage earners have as many inveterate enemies as the cotton operatives have, and particularly those employed in the mule department. Why this should be so we cannot tell, unless it be on account of the mill hands always standing up for a fair wage, and when necessary striking work to procure such wage as they think themselves entitled to for the labor they perform. On this subject they have always been strong and determined, and have made such progress as to bring themselves in the front ranks of wage-earning classes. They have even surpassed workers in other trades, and thus created a jealous feeling in the minds of those who have lost ground in the industrial race of social position.

Mule spinners have, perhaps, paid more attention to the advantage to be derived from trades unionism than workers have in other industries, and this circumstance has greatly assisted them in their efforts to improve their labor conditions in face of the opposing influences which have been working against them during the last 20 years. They have been willing to pay high rates of contributions and levies, and be satisfied with moderate benefits, knowing well the advantage gained thereby in the higher wages drawn at the pay day. It is this system which enables them to create large reserve funds, to be used in times of emergency. The policy always acted upon by them is to pay high contributions to their trade union, instead of leaving the money in the mill offices in the shape of wage reductions, which would be the case with low contributions and unreasonably high benefits, such as would not allow of the creation of reserve funds. If the mule spinners have been able to work themselves into a favorable position by means of combination conducted on sound principles, they ought to be congratulated on the result of their foresight and judgment in acting as they have done, but whatever may be thought of them by outsiders is no concern to the men, as they will soon go their way, and take that action which seems to them requisite in accordance with the surroundings for the time being.

One reason why there are so many enemies to cotton operatives whenever the wages question comes to the front is because there are thousands of individuals who have become interested in the cotton spinning trade in the shape of shareholders in the limited companies, and as dividends do not turn up as often as desired in the bulk of the companies, dissatisfaction is the result. Therefore, the grumblers are ready to lend themselves to any movement which they think will bring them relief, and as cutting down wages is one of these methods which they are always in favor of, we find them urging forward the agitation, and that by language of an extravagant nature.

TWO IMPORTANT BILLS.

Receive Hearings Before the Judiciary Committee at the State House.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, March 28.—At the state house, today, Rep. Gallavan appeared in favor of a bill to make the officers in charge of police stations, bail commissioners. Rep. Teamoh spoke in favor of the bill imposing a fine on any theatre manager or hotel proprietor who discriminates against colored persons.

MALT HOUSE FELL.

Employes Escaped But Passersby May Have Been Brushed Under the Debris.

By Associated Press To THE SUN.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 28.—The five-story malt house of the Wayne Brewery on 36th street collapsed this morning from the weight of grain in the upper stories.

All the employes escaped but it is feared pedestrians were caught in the ruins, and search is being made for bodies.

THE MINT SHORTAGE.

Bar of Base Metal May Have Replaced the Bar of Bullion.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

CARSON CITY, Nev., March 28.—The Tribune today states that a bar of base metal was substituted for the bar of gold missing from the mint. Arrests are expected.

N. E. Society's President.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, March 28.—At a meeting of the N. E. Agricultural society council today Francis H. Appleton of Peabody was elected president to succeed the late Daniel Needham of Groton. It was voted to hold the next fair at Portland.

Will Tug No More.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NEW YORK, March 28.—The tug boat Mary A. Parker sunk off Red Hook, this morning. Her crew, save one deck hand, were saved.

Whiskers Are Being Blown.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NEW YORK, March 28.—The wind is blowing 65 miles an hour, the highest rate since 1876 when the velocity was seven miles greater.

Ready For a Strike.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

GHENT, Belgium, March 28—At a meeting of socialists it was decided to inaugurate a general strike whenever the council at Brussells should give the word.

Casino Girls Will Stay.

The Bijou theatre announces a full week's engagement of the Casino Girls' company in their great musical bill and the merry farce "A Jolly Divorce."

Willis Farrington Played Tennis.

At St. Augustine, Fla., yesterday, Willis Farrington played in a lawn tennis tournament, in the first round defeating his opponent 6-1, 6-2.

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The meeting of the New England Base Ball association at Boston, today, was very harmonious. Jake Morse presided and Gen. Dixwell was made an honorary member and given the freedom of all grounds for the season.

It was voted that when games are prevented by rain all actual expenses shall be settled by the home club. It was voted to begin the season May 1. Owing to the substitution of Fitchburg for Brockton the schedule committee was unable to report.

Lowell players are as follows: Ed. Flannagan, capt., A. F. Nichols, H. W. Long, H. W. Nelson, C. A. Tebeau, H. Van Allstyn, W. H. Coughlin, Ed. O'Neil, M. Quirk, E. M. Roscoe, Wm. Mulloy, J. Sullivan and G. F. Clements.

Fitchburg secures the strongest team. John Irwin will captain Lawrence, C. J. Connell, Haverhill; M. F. Birmingham, Nashua.

LOVE'S TRUE COURSE

Ran Into Many Obstacles in This Instance—Beau No. 1 is Cooling His Heels in the Police Station.

In Dracut dwells a young woman named Miss Hussey, who once loved John Simpson of Front street. They kept company until last winter when, upon the advice of her mother, she gave Simpson the "shake."

Before the parting, however, she had lent her beau a pretty ring which her mother had given her as a present, which she prized very highly. When the sad parting came the ring was forgotten and Miss Hussey hasn't seen it since.

Later on, the maiden began to receive the attention of a young man whom she had known for years and recently he sent her a picture and a letter.

Though jilted and his place taken by another, Simpson evidently didn't complain, but evidently had great hopes of getting Miss Hussey back, or if not herself at least some of her property, for by some means that picture and letter managed to find their way into his possession, to the chagrin of Miss Hussey and beau No. 2.

The lady called at the police station and reported her case and Major Noyes went to work upon it. He found Simpson and tried every kind of argument with him, but to no avail, the "fired" lover was obdurate and refused to part with those tender mementos of happier days.

Out of sight is out of mind in a voting contest. Keep the name of your friend up high, where it can be seen and admired. It wins votes every time.

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9 40	10 40	12 00	12 56
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ARE WE to have state coercion in purely local matters?

LOWELL is having a big run of excellent shows. The best is not too good for us.

THE BEVERLY TIMES keeps on shouting "Push Beverly." Evidently Beverly must be a good thing.

WATCH THE business centre. We are told it will follow the post office. If so, it must be on the move.

QUEEN VICTORIA has just signed a bill to give the suffrage to women on an equality with men in Australia. Next?

NASHUA HAS suffered in the failure of one of its banks. Lowell has been exceedingly fortunate in escaping such misfortunes.

THE HOUSE of representatives voted to pass the redistricting bill or in other words to curtail Lowell's right to local self-government.

MR CONROY has been apprehended and will have to answer for his cowardly assault. Nobody guilty of such an assault deserves any sympathy.

TRILBY CAME and will go like "Annie Rooney," or any of the popular songs that are hummed for a while everywhere and then ostracized never to be resurreeted.

MEN WHO have seen some of the leading tragedians in Richelieu think that with a few finishing touches Haworth's Richelieu would equal that of any of his more recent predecessors on the stage.

REP. HAYES expects to be made a senator as a reward for his gerrymandering bill. The people whom he is trying to rob of their rights by state legislation will see to it that he shall be triumphantly defeated.

IT IS all nonsense to say that the south common is converted into a veritable dump on account of the snow piled there during the winter. There is a thin covering of clay or mud but it has been pulverized by the frost and is not offensive.

THE GERMAN REICHSTAG must be a degenerate body to dread the mere congratulation of an ex-minister on his 80th birthday. Bismarck towers above the men who cast upon him such an indignity. He is not lowered in the estimation of his country by such an act. The British parliament would not refuse its respectful courtesy to Mr. Gladstone.

THE NEW BEDFORD weavers condemn Chief Wade for preventing the legislature from increasing the number of state inspectors. He says he has a sufficient force to enforce the laws, but the New Bedford weavers in common with those in other factory cities gainsay this statement. The chief has "a pull," however, and his recommendation is accepted as reliable.

THE MAIL is moderating its partisan tone and in regard to settling the common council muddle, suggests that the contest over the presidency might be settled by drawing lots as the tenure of office is settled by the overseers of the poor. The Mail also talks of a compromise, but fails to state on what basis it might be effected. The democrats are now as formerly, ready to meet the republicans fairly upon any reasonable proposition. They are not the obstructionists.

A POLICY OF CONSISTENCY.

The Colored National League of Boston justly denounces the discrimination against Representative Temoah in the south on account of his color. It also condemns Mr. Temoah himself and the committee of which he is a member for tamely submitting to such discrimination. The affair will result in the election of another colored representative to take Mr. Temoah's place and in a more vigorous insistence upon due recognition of colored officials wherever they go. Governor Greenhalge takes advantage of the incident to emphasize the determination of Massachusetts to see the colored citizens fairly treated in all respects. While His Excellency is so solicitous for the fair treatment of colored citizens it is to be hoped he will not allow a wrong or an injustice to be inflicted upon the white residents of his own city. Can a governor who is so generous towards the colored citizens be injust to his fellow citizens of Lowell?

We are inclined to think not, and if not he will veto the Lowell redistricting and charter amendment bill now before the legislature. Should he fail to veto it, he will, to use a vulgar expression, "swallow his head" by failing to carry out the policy of applying the referendum in local matters. Governor Greenhalge has always been consistent and we do not believe he will now adopt a different course at the dictation of an extremely partisan element in the legislature.

If Holyoke does not want its license commission metamorphosed into a police commission, that ought to be final. The legislature does not exist for the purpose of prescribing the details of city and town governments.—Lawrence American.

THE SUN endorses this statement and holds that Lowell should not be prevented prescribing the details of its own government by any act of the legislature. The present legislature does not scruple any such trifle as coercing a city.

MISS ANNA DICKINSON sues for damages for imprisonment for five months in an insane asylum. It will be difficult for a perfectly sane woman to prove that she was sane years ago. If she proves a conspiracy to incarcerate her she should get damages.

THE DETERMINATION of the Lawrence city council to pay the laborers $2 a day is meeting considerable opposition. The question to be decided is, are the laborers worth that amount.

FROM PRESENT indications no new law will be necessary to compel Lowell ladies to remove high headgear at theatres. They do so without legal compulsion.

THE LICENSE commission is being closely watched nowadays, although there is nothing suspicious in its actions.

A PRIZE.

He Knew What He Was Talking About, After All.

No one would have suspected, to look at the hale and hearty face and stout, well built form of the young man who stood so earnestly gazing down into the eyes of the beautiful girl from whom he had so long been parted, that a few short months before he had lain sick unto death in a small village in the heart of India. Yet such was the case.

"Yes, dear," he was saying as he took both her hands in his own. "I hardly dare tell you what a close call for my life I had, but now that it is over I can look back upon it with calmness. Yet, in telling you of it," he continued, his face blushing slightly and the strange light of an unnatural excitement gleaming in his eyes, "I must speak of a matter which I think you, of all others, should know. Had it not been for a young English girl who was there at the time, I might never be here to tell this tale. She learned that I had the jungle fever, and for weeks she hovered over my bedside, never leaving me, night or day. In my fevered tossing and in the wild delirium of the night, I was yet dimly conscious of this angel form that bent over me and administered to my burning lips the cooling draft or bathed my hot forehead, and when at last she nursed me back to life I was enabled, thank heaven, to repay her in a measure for this great service. Unfriended and alone in all the world, she naturally turned to me for counsel, and at length I prevailed upon her to follow my advice. My darling, I have brought her back with me."

As he uttered these words the face of his fiancee turned deadly pale, and, uttering a hoarse exclamation of surprise, she drew herself up to her full height. "And so, sir," she exclaimed, "this is the way you repay my devotion! A pretty girl turns your head, and you have the audacity to travel with her from a far land and coolly face me with this calm statement. Why, sir, may I ask, have you dared to bring her with you?"

"Because, my darling," he said softly as he drew from his pocket the lease for a seven room flat in Harlem and gazed searchingly at its contents, "she says she will do our general housework for only $12 a month."—New York World.

Had to Know Him.

A now distinguished jurist, says an exchange, migrated to a western town; months of idleness, with no prospect of improvement, induced him to seek a new home. Without money to pay his fare, he boarded a train for Nashville, intending to seek employment as reporter on one of the daily newspapers. When the conductor called for his ticket, he said: "I am on the staff of The —— of Nashville. I suppose you will pass me?" The conductor looked at him sharply. "The editor of that paper is in the smoker. Come with me. If he identifies you, all right." He followed the conductor into the smoker; the situation was explained. Mr. Editor said: "Oh, yes, I recognize him as one of the staff. It is all right." Before leaving the train the lawyer again sought the editor: "Why did you say you recognized me? I'm not on your paper." "I am not the editor, either. I'm traveling on his pass and was scared to death lest you should give me away."

First Fashionable Fans.

Fans came from the east during the crusades, being brought back by returning knights as presents for their friends. A French nobleman brought the first ostrich fan to Paris about 1100

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Parke—You have never seen my baby, have you?

Lane—No, old man. But I feel as though I knew him from what I have heard you say.—New York World.

A Sure Cure.

Two married ladies were talking about their respective and respected lords.

"Does your husband forget things?" asked one.

"Never," said the other.

"Well, mine does. I think there is hardly a day when he comes home from his office that he doesn't begin to apologize for his forgetfulness. Of course I have to accept the apology on his promise to do better, and the next day the very same thing occurs."

"That must be extremely annoying."

"It is. Sometimes I get so vexed with him that I really have to scold him."

"And that never is pleasant."

"I should say not. I'm sure I'd rather be anything else than a scold, but some husbands actually drive their wives to it. I've been married ten years, and sometimes I almost fear if he doesn't improve he will have my temper utterly spoiled."

"I've been married a dozen years, and I never have any such trouble."

"Maybe your husband is an exception?"

"No, he's only average as married men go."

"Wasn't he ever forgetful?"

"He was at first, but I cured him of it."

"Gracious, I thought it was incurable!"

"Oh, no. You can cure him easily if you will use my remedy."

"I'm sure I'll only be too glad to. What is it?"

"Never ask him to get anything for you. Get it yourself. He has enough to think about without being errand boy."

"Oh!" exclaimed the first woman and remained silent for as much as two minutes.—Detroit Free Press.

Rare Coin.

X., a poor Parisian Bohemian who lives from hand to mouth, but manages to keep up a somewhat distinguished appearance, was looking earnestly in a public place at a 5 franc piece of which, by some extraordinary piece of luck, he had become possessed.

A gentleman at once stepped up to him and addressed him politely.

"Pardon me, sir," said the stranger, "but I am a collector of coins, and your movement suggests that possibly you have a rare one."

"I have, sir," said X.

"Will you let me look at it?"

"With pleasure."

The stranger inspected with astonishment X.'s 5 franc piece.

"But pray, sir," he asked, "do you consider this a rare coin?"

"Certainly," answered X. "With me all coins are rare."—Youth's Companion.

Overjoyed.

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Todd—Glad to see her, eh?

Nodd—Not that, but she didn't bring any of them back with her.—Brooklyn Life.

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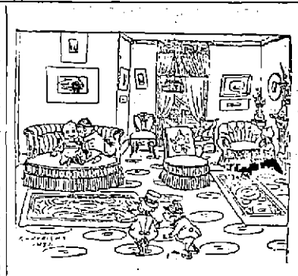

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29	" "	Tan "	8c. "	"	12½c. "
60	" "	Black, Tan and Drab Hose.	10c. a pair,	regular price	15c. pair
33	" "	Fancy Stripe	" 15c.	" "	20c "
20	" "	Black Finish Foot	" 15c.	" "	25c "
25	" "	Black First Quality	" 25c.	" "	23c "
1 case	Children's	Fast Black	" 10c.	former price	12c "
50	dozen "	" "	" 15c.	"	20c "
37	" "	" "	" 25c.	" "	30c "
100	" Gent's		" 10c.	regular "	12c "
84	" "	Seamless	" 12c.	" "	15c "
97	" "	Black	" 10c.	" "	15c "

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One of our show windows is full of them. If there is any piece you want get it at once.

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$100. FINE SQUARE PIANO. Four round corners, seven octaves, carved legs, in fine condition. $10 down and $6 a month, at GARDNER'S Music Store, 45 PRESCOTT ST., LOWELL, MASS.

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GREAT BRITAIN

Explains Her Attitude in Nicaraguan Affair.

NO INTENTION TO REFLECT ON UNITED STATES.

The Terms Were Misunderstood by Our Diplomats.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—It is claimed by those who are in a position to be well informed as to the intentions of the British foreign office, and also as to representations which our government has made to Great Britain through Minister Bayard in regard to the British ultimatum to Nicaragua, that there is a misconception of the text of that document.

The seven words in the ultimatum to which President Cleveland and his cabinet have attached so much importance, as, in a measure, sweeping away the cordial confidence which has marked all the recent diplomatic transactions of the United States with the British foreign office in regard to jurisdiction over the Mosquito strip, were those which provided that the third member of the arbitration commission should be "not a citizen of any American republic." This phrase was thought to be an explicit declaration by England that she declined to recognize any force in the Monroe doctrine and to be a gratuitous

Reflection Upon the United States.

The intention to cast any reflection upon the United States was promptly disavowed by Lord Kimberly, through one of his under secretaries, and it is now stated that the meaning of the unfortunate sentence used and the intentions of the British government have been misconstrued.

As ordinarily employed and understood by the British foreign office, the phrase "American republic" is limited in application to the smaller republics of Central and South America. It was these republics that Great Britain desired to exclude from having the casting vote between the Nicaraguan representative and the commissioner chosen by Great Britain.

While technically and literally the United States forms one of the "American republics," it is explained that the English foreign office never classifies this great government and people with the Spanish and Portuguese speaking South and Central American governments.

Consequently it is asserted that the words "not a citizen of any American republic" do not bar out the United States, according to the view of the British foreign office.

Viewed in this light, a clearer understanding is given to the denial on the part of Great Britain that any reflection was intended upon the United States in the proposition above referred to.

Forced Into Submission.

PROVIDENCE, March 28.—All danger of a strike in textile industries of Rhode Island is over for the present, owing to a remarkable move on the part of the Rhode Island Manufacturers' club. Operatives in every mill yesterday found a notice posted stating that the manufacturers would close their factories April 8 for an indefinite period or until the operatives were ready to accept the existing terms, unless they ceased their threatening talk. The notices caused a sensation, and the union officials decided to declare the strike off at the Weybossett mills Nos. 1 and 2. The dressers' tenders then went back. The strike at the Manton mill was also declared off, and Proprietor Kimball's offer was accepted.

Death of Langdon S. Ward.

NEWTON, March 28.—Langdon S. Ward, during 20 years the treasurer of the American Board of Commissioners of Foreign Missions, died at his home here last night. He was 66 years of age, and had been connected with the American board 40 years. He was a native of Boston and was educated in the public schools there. Mr. Ward was thoroughly business-like in his methods and was regarded as one of the most efficient of the officers of the American board.

Women to the Rescue.

LYNN, March 28.—By the will of the late Mary Saute the city of Lynn was bequeathed about $100,000 for a new public library building. With its existing indebtedness the city could not legally raise $20,000, the estimated cost of a lot. The foremost women of the city have signified their intention of raising the necessary amount to purchase the lot by public entertainments and private subscription.

An Actor's Deed.

NEW YORK, March 28.—At 13 West Twenty-fourth street yesterday Amy Thill, an actress, was killed by a bullet wound in her head inflicted by Jack Bigelow, an actor. A bullet in the head had also killed him. By his side lay a pistol. The man killed the woman and then himself.

Portland Man Missing.

PORTLAND, March 28.—James Kincard of South Portland mysteriously disappeared a week ago. He was in Boston when last seen. His mother and sister started for Boston yesterday to join in the search for him.

Set Himself Afire.

PAWTUCKET, March 28.—Edward W. Wilkinson, aged 68, was terribly burned yesterday. In lighting a match he set his clothes afire and was too feeble to quench the flames. He will probably die.

Veteran Mathematician Dead.

ITHACA, N. Y., March 28.—James E. Oliver, professor of mathematics in Cornell university, died yesterday from the effects of grip. Professor Oliver had been connected with Cornell since 1871.

Well Known In Society Circles.

PROVIDENCE, March 28. — Elisha S. Arnold, president of the Cranston town council, and one of the leading Masons and Odd Fellows in Rhode Island, died yesterday, aged 63.

Back to Ireland.

OTTAWA, March 28.—There is a well-authenticated rumor to the effect that Lord Aberdeen has been recalled to take the lord lieutenancy of Ireland in place of Lord Houghton.

Gun Manufacturers to Compete.

NEWPORT, March 28.—The following arms will be submitted for tests upon the reconvening of the small arms board, orders for which are expected daily: Livermore, two guns; Lee of Hartford, one; Remington Arms company, one; C. W. Pratt of Fall River, one; Putnam of New York, one; Putnam of San Francisco, one; C. Mills of Aurora, Ills., one.

Tell your friends to save their coupons and vote for their favorite. The early votes are usually wasted when they could easily win the contest. Don't throw a vote away.

WHITES VS. BLACKS.

How In a South Carolina Town May Lead to Serious Disturbances.

BATH, S. C., March 28.—Trouble has arisen between whites and blacks at the site of the new mill of the Aiken Manufacturing company. A party of white men began firing on the negroes assembled to do the work on the mill building. The negroes were notified by the white men to leave town in 15 minutes. They refused to obey the order, and the shooting commenced.

It seems that the shots were fired into the air, and were intended to frighten and not to kill. The object was, of course, to run the negroes off and give the whites a chance to do the work. It is said that one negro was struck in the leg. The negroes fled to the swamps, where they remained all night. They returned to town and are at work. All is quiet for the present, but further trouble is looked for.

Last Heard From In Boston.

HALIFAX, March 28.—William Gibson, son of the city tax collector, is missing. Some weeks ago Gibson received word from his son, who was in Boston, stating that he was coming home. It is known that he purchased his ticket and placed his luggage on board the steamer Yarmouth at Boston, but that he failed to board the steamer itself. Gibson had a large sum of money on his person, which gives rise to the theory he has met with foul play. He is 25 years old.

Fighting the Lottery.

WASHINGTON, March 28. — All mails hereafter addressed to F. J. Demarest, Puerto Cortez, Honduras, or care of the Central American express, Port Tampa City, Fla., will be stopped by the government. Demarest is the president of the Honduras Lottery company.

Ordered to Peru.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Orders have been sent to Mare island to have the United States coast defense ship Monterey proceed to Peru. It has been felt desirable to have a United States warship at Callao to look after American interests in case they are endangered.

Cordage Trust Difficulties.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Mr. Whitehead, of the law firm of Martin & Smith, has applied for the appointment of a receiver for the National Cordage syndicate on behalf of Eliza A. Wall, a partner in the firm of William Wall's Sons, manufacturers of cordage.

Cashier Charged With Theft.

CHICAGO, March 28.—W. Irving Carpenter, assistant cashier of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad at the Englewood station, is charged with the embezzlement of over $1500 of the company's money.

Died of Blood Poisoning.

CHICAGO, March 28.—Morris St. P. Thomas, one of the best known members of the Chicago bar, is dying, the result of blood poisoning. His sickness was brought about by a slight cut on the hand by glass.

Seven Millions Involved.

BUTTE, Mon., March 28.—The Davis will contest, involving about $7,000,000, ended yesterday by mutual agreement between the heirs. The will was admitted to probate and a decree of distribution entered.

Laurier Is Sick.

MONTREAL, March 28.—Wilfred Laurier, leader of the Opposition, left yesterday for his home. He will have to undergo an operation shortly on the right side of his face for a neuralgic affection.

As Expected.

BROOKLYN, March 28.—President Norton and Superintendent Quinn of the Atlantic Avenue Railroad company, who were charged with violating the 10-hour law, were acquitted.

Verdict For the Plaintiff.

SPRINGFIELD, March 28.—A verdict of $7500 was rendered against the Connecticut River railroad in the suit of George Bronilletto for damages for injuries received.

Appealed Their Cases.

BARNSTABLE, Mass., March 28.—Charles H. Meiggs and Chester Baxter were fined $100 each for the alleged illegal killing of deer. Both men appealed.

Able to Go Out.

BRISTOL, R. I., March 28.—Nat Herreshoff visited the south shop of the syndicate's works yesterday for the first time in a month.

P. R. R. Officials Organize.

PHILADELPHIA, March 28.—The newly elected board of directors of the Pennsylvania railroad reorganized yesterday. President Roberts was unanimously reelected.

Cincinnati Bank Assigns.

CINCINNATI, March 28.—The Commercial bank yesterday assigned to W. H. Campbell, its cashier. Cashier Campbell stated that the bank had temporarily suspended payment, and would be all right in a few days. The Commercial bank was founded in 1831. A number of old-time solid financiers have been identified with the institution.

Bank Lawlessness.

WINSTON, N. C., March 28.—A crowd went to the home of a farmer near here and shot him through the thigh. The home of the farmer's son was torn down completely. They then burned an unoccupied house belonging to another son. The father and two sons were witnesses in a case against a moonshiner.

Two Robbers' Big Job.

LITTLE ROCK, March 28.—A train on the Iron Mountain was held up by robbers last night near Williamsville by two men, who robbed the express car. The conductor lost his watch and money, and it is supposed the passengers were also robbed, but details of the holdup are lacking.

Sunken Propeller Raised.

NEW LONDON, March 28.—The propeller Metropolitan, which was sunk in collision with the tug T. A. Scott, was raised yesterday and towed to Noank for repairs. An investigation will be held to locate the blame.

Fleming's Offer.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Matchmaker Fleming of the National Sporting club of London announces that Dick Burge agrees to fight Tommy Ryan in London on Nov. 25, at 140 or 142 pounds weight, for $5000 a side.

Springfield Merchants at a Banquet.

SPRINGFIELD, March 28. — The fifth annual banquet of the board of trade passed off very successfully last evening. General Francis A. Walker of Boston addressed the meeting on "Bi-Metallism."

Four Years For Perjury.

BOSTON, March 28.—Lawrence A. Jacobs was sentenced yesterday to four years in the state prison for perjury. Jacobs was charged with willfully swearing falsely as to the value of his property.

Right In Spring Fashion.

All or nearly all the young people who have been playing whist and dancing together this winter are exchanging photos. Freeman, in post office block, is doing the work. His pictures are gems for posing and finish.

HINTS FOR PHOTOGRAPHERS

HOW TO CLEAN LENSES AFTER USE.

The Inside Workings of Photography Show it to be a Fine Art—Other Matters.

Mere dust can be removed with a camel's hair brush, there being nowhere found any opinions forbidding that. But in the changes of an ordinary climate a lens will get considerably blurred with filmy accumulations, even though it may never have been touched by the hand or brought in contact with grease in any form. A practical photographer once said that if a finger mark should come upon a lens which he valued very highly he would immediately return it to its European manufacturers. He would not dare to touch it himself.

Any one may venture upon taking an objective apart and cleaning it, provided he will only do it carefully.

In the first place "do not use either fine chamois skin, tissue paper or an old silk handkerchief, or any other such material as is usually advised." Use cheesecloth. It is not the wiping material, though, that is apt to do the mischief, but the fine dust particles, which may be silicious and become attached to the glass. This is the way to begin on the objective:

Take a wooden bowl, cleaned with soap and water, then half fill it with clean water of about the same temperature as the glass and put in a teaspoonful of ammonia in half a pail of water. First wash a piece of cheesecloth thoroughly with soap and water and rinse and clean. Then place it in the bowl or pail, so that the lens won't slip. Never use the same piece of cheesecloth twice.

Mr. Brashear says that when the lens has been dusted and placed in the water he prefers to rub it with the palms of his cleaned hands, although cheesecloth is good. There seems to be absolutely no danger of scratching it when plenty of water is used. When thoroughly washed, take the glass out, lay it on a bundle of cheesecloth, and use several pieces of the same, which have been previously washed clean and dried, and dry it. Don't let it drain dry. Take up all the moisture with the cloth. Vigorous rubbing will do no harm if the surfaces have no abrading material.

An objective can be cleaned without taking it out of its cell. First dust off the particles, then use the cheesecloth with soap and water. Go over the surface gently with one piece of cloth and throw it away and take another, then a third one. When the glass is clean, take a piece of dry cloth and dry it.

Of course photographic lenses can be cleaned in the same way.

How to Make Shoe Dressing at Home.

A soft dressing that is less injurious than the majority of polishes found in the market is made by mixing to a smooth paste vaseline or cosmoline and lampblack. Apply a very little with a flannel cloth and rub in thoroughly. The oil fills up the pores and renders the leather almost waterproof after using it several times. This dressing does not impart a high gloss to the leather, but merely softens and colors it. Where a polish is desired the liquid dressings are preferable.

How to Stuff Lobster Tails.

Cut in three-sixteenths of an inch squares a pound of lobster meat cooked in court bouillon. To prepare the court bouillon mince up 2 ounces of onions, 2 ounces of celery root, 2 ounces of carrots and put them into a saucepan with a branch of parsley, thyme and bay leaf; also a pint of water, some salt and a pint of white wine. Let boil for ten minutes. Add to these half the same quantity of cooked mushrooms, cut up the same size. Fry colorless in butter 2 tablespoonfuls of onions. Add 2 ounces of flour and fry without browning. Dilute with a pint of milk and cook again for a few minutes. Then add the lobster, mushrooms. Mix well. Boil up once, remove and cool off. Fill the half tail shells, well cleaned and dried, with this preparation. Dredge over bread crumbs, besprinkle with butter and brown them in a hot oven.

How to Use Lemons on the Hair.

A lemon cut in half, or, better still, in quarters, so that the pulp can easily be applied to the roots of the hair, will stop any ordinary case of falling out. It is an agreeable remedy. Besides being cool and pleasant to the skin, the scent, unlike that left by the petroleum cure, is distinctly refreshing, and it also has the merit of cheapness.

How to Make Oatmeal Bags.

Take 5 pounds of oatmeal, ground fine, a half pound of castile soap, reduced to powder, and a pound of powdered Italian orris root. Cut a yard of thin cheesecloth into bags about four inches square, sewing them on the machine and taking care not to leave any untied threads where a break may let the contents ooze out. Mix the soap, oatmeal and orris root thoroughly and fill the bags loosely. Sew up the opening in each and lay them away to be used as required. They are used as a sponge dipped in warm water, making a thick velvet lather and wonderfully softening the skin while the orris imparts a lasting fragrance.

How to Cure Mosquito Bites.

Apply spirits of hartshorn diluted with twice as much water or sal volatile or cologne. If the part is left puffy and swelled after the tingling has abated, rub it with soap liniment. A piece of raw onion is also most efficacious for bites and stings. The following is a cure and a deterrent: A paste made of the plant Pyrethrum roseum, mixed with spirits, diluted with twice as much water as spirits. This applied will cure the bite and prevent others, as the odor will keep away the mosquito.

Unfair Competition.

Customer—Fifty cents for filling this prescription? Why, at the drug store down the street they charge me only a quarter.

Druggist—That's all it's worth at that store, ma'am. They put about 4 cents' worth of drugs in the bottle and then fill it up with water. I put in the same drugs and fill the bottle with the finest aqua pura. Thanks. Anything else?—Chicago Tribune.

Beef Is Going Up.

CHICAGO, March 28.—Prices of all kinds of meats will be higher this summer than they have been for 10 years past. While the prime cause of the advance is the scarcity of choice beef cattle, all kinds of meats have gone up.

Greenhut Scoffs at Charges.

PEORIA, Ills., March 28. — President Greenhut of the Distilling and Cattle Feeding company is back in Peoria. He treated the charges against himself with contempt, saying they were unworthy of notice.

Prisoner's Sentence Deferred.

CAMBRIDGE, March 28.—The jury returned a verdict of guilty in the Martin manslaughter case. The prisoner was not sentenced, owing to exceptions taken to a portion of the evidence by his counsel.

Favorable Weather, but Small Cut.

BERLIN, N. H., March 28.—The past winter has been favorable for lumbering operations in this famous northern New Hampshire region, but the average cut will fall far below that of 1893.

Bissell and Wilson.

WASHINGTON, March 28. — Postmaster General Bissell will retire from office on April 4, when Mr. Wilson will formally take charge.

A Washington Failure.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Robert Leitch & Sons, brass founders, have made an assignment. Assets, $102,431; liabilities, $65,451.

Stanfield Assigns.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Douglas Maxwell Stanfield, proprietor of the Victoria hotel, Fifth avenue, has assigned.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

It is proposed to increase the Spanish army by 11,000 men.

The reichstag refused to kill the anti-revolution bill.

Count Boniface de Castellane and his bride are at Monte Carlo.

Cholera is reported amongst the Japanese troops at Port Arthur.

The Henry J. Spear Home for Aged Men at Providence was dedicated.

A first edition of Walton's "Complete Angler" sold for $1325 in New York.

Mrs. Julia Ireland, aged 87 years, mother of Archbishop Ireland, died at St. Paul.

The state of Nebraska will appropriate $200,000 for the relief of drought-stricken farmers.

Hawaii will endeavor to establish the right of deportations by a judicial decision in a foreign country.

Chandler B. Allen was arrested in Cambridge on the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

Rev. Wallace Nutting, D.D., pastor of the Union Congregational church of Providence, was installed.

The weavers in John Sutton's mill at North Andover, Mass., went out on strike, owing to a disagreement over prices.

Reverence For the Law.

By virtue of a superstitious though generally accepted tradition we are called upon to have "respect for the law," as if in itself law were some superhuman creation with rightful powers to defy intelligence or even to transform morality. And we are wearied with "frightening" utterances, repeated until they have become cant, about "the dignity of the law," "the majesty of the law," "the irrevocability of the law" and of "the "permanent establishment of the law." Granted that we should "obey the law" while we permit it to remain a law, yet if it is not a respectable law, and by its exercise violates reason and morals, why should we be asked to respect the law? It has, in its abusive power, been vile to the extent of filthiness and cruel as the unconscious mercilessness of a ravening beast. Human laws have made it a crime for a loving husband to refuse to give up his wife or a father to consign his daughter to the demands of lecherous favorites of the law.

"The dignity of the law!" It has employed eavesdroppers, sent out its emissaries disguised and contemptibly pried into the silly and sacred secrets of those who have submitted themselves or have been assigned to its powers of persecution.

"The majesty of the law!" Consider the imposing grandeur of a law of human government which has made it a crime to teach the alphabet to a human being whom, because of his intellectual weakness, "the law" has made a slave; a law which commits a poor woman to prison for selling apples on the street, but gives over the highways to strong and wealthy corporations for their profitable use in the sale of transportation and the sale of merchandise at every stopping station on the highway.—E. Stillman Doubleday.

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The prices we charge for Men's Underwear are much less for the same quality than gent's furnishers are able to sell their goods for. The quality we guarantee to be the best for the price. All garments are cut after the best fitting patterns.

Spring Weight Goods.

Men's Gray and Camel's Hair Shirts and Drawers, 25c.

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Men's Light Weight Wool Shirts and Drawers, in white and grey, $1.

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The great success of our Hosiery Department is "the quality and the prices" of every line we carry. We guarantee everything just as they are represented, and the one great feature is the assortment, every style, every quality and every price.

Ladies' Cotton Hose, with white feet or white soles, fast black, at three prices —25, 38 and 50c.

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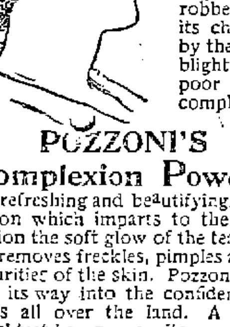

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For Boston, at 6.50, 8.15, 9.30, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05 12.45, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.50 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 4.15, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Lawrence, 8.30, 9.30, 10.50, a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 (11.25 Wednesdays and Saturdays only) p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Haverhill, 8.30, 9.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, (11.25 Wednesdays and Saturdays only) p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Salem and Lynn, 12.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport and Amesbury, 12.05, 2.30, 4.10, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter, and Dover, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.10 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls Saco and Portland 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.10, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Waterville, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For St. John N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal, and Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.35 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John's (per steamer), on Mondays and Fridays at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick and Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones at Rockland), Tuesdays and Fridays at 5.10 p. m.

Southern Division.

On and After Sept. 30, 1894, Trains Leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as Follows:—

For Boston—5.45, 6.30, §6.50, *7.45, *8.50, §9.00, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, §3.00, 4.30, §5.40, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston—5.48, 6.34, §6.53, §7.01, §7.18, §7.27, *7.48, *8.57, 9.03, *9.50, 11.03, 12.00 a. m., 1.43, §3.03, 4.02, 4.33, *5.21, §5.43, *6.28, §7.02 p. m. SUNDAYS, *7.16, 7.27, 8.05, *9.16 a. m.; §4.25, §6.03 p. m.

For Woburn, §7.01, 7.45, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.30, 5.46 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m., §4.25, 6.03 p. m.

*Express. §Northern Depot only. ¶Via Bedford.

For Lawrence — 6.30, 10.00, 2.10, 4.15, 5.30 p. m.

For Salem and Way Stations—§7.38 a. m.; 1.25, 5.50 p. m.

☞Time below is from Middlesex street station.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.00 and 5.47 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.14 a. m.; 1.50, 3.43, 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene—9.14 a. m. and 3.43 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, Antrim, Bennington and Hillsboro', 2.00 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord 7.57 9.14 (Nashua only), 9.45, a. m.; 12.11, 1.50., 3.43, 5.42, 6.21, 8.13, 8.43 p. m. SUNDAYS 10.09, a. m. (to Nashua only), 3 a. m., 2.00, 6.00 8.13, 8.43 p. m.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, 5.42, §8.13 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—1.50 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a. m.; †8.43, p. m.

For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, †8.13 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—9.45 a. m.; †8.43 p. m.

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Votes must be deposited at THE SUN office with the name and residence plainly marked thereon.

The top ballot only need be marked on a package of ballots (not over a thousand in a package) securely tied. The number claimed should also appear on the package and when found correct will be credited.

The polls will be open until nine o'clock on Saturday evening, June 1st, 1895. The winner will then have ample time to prepare for his voyage, and sail both ways during the most pleasant portion of the year.

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SUN RISES........ 5 31 | MOON SETS.... 8 47 PM
SUN SETS......... 6 05 | FULL SEA } ..12 15 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..12 34 | ..12 50 PM

Forecast for New England: Partly cloudy, light local showers in northern and western portions, but fair weather during the greater portion of the day; westerly winds, increasing in force; colder tonight in northern portions.

LOCAL NEWS.

Vote.

Vote early and often.

A. E. O'Heir & Co., auctioneers.

Miss Brie Bowler has joined the staff of the New London Day.

The overseers of the poor are aiding the needy with goods bought on trust.

It was reported to Post 185 last night that the recent bazaar netted $960.

In the case of Goldspring vs. Eames at high court the plaintiff won a verdict of $107.80.

There will be no more concerts on Saturday evenings at the People's club this season.

Frank Parke, a young painter employed at Hood's caught hold of a live wire, yesterday, and had a narrow escape from injury.

Now gentlemen of the local societies you have a golden opportunity to send one of your popular members on a free trip to Europe.

The will of J. N. Marshall has been presented for probate, and administrations asked for on estate of J. L. Rourke and Marie Roy.

The Milford, N. H., crack whist players ran up against the crack Highland team at the club house last night. Of course, the Highlands won, by 19 points.

B. K. & Co.'s Liquid Marine White, high gloss for parlors and reception rooms, gives a high gloss, dries hard, wears well. Coburn's, Market street, sole agents.

The Lowell Bicycle club elected these officers yesterday: President, T. P. Hall; secretary, Emil Hansen; treasurer, L. M. Foss. The sentiment is in favor of a $2 fee.

About 50 of Mr. John Stanley's friends surprised him at his home on D street, last evening. Mr. Rupert Brissett as their spokesman presenting him with a gold ring.

The Lowell & Suburban Street Railway company is experimenting with electricity for headlights on its cars. A very neat lamp is on one of the Broadway line. The word "Broadway" appears on a ground glass semi-circle above the light.

Many Men Are Missing.

Many elderly residents of Massachusetts cities and towns must be missing judging from the number of letters received by the police inquiring about the body identified as that of David Christie.

Contract For Lowell Man.

At the treasury department in Washington yesterday bids for constructing the approaches to the federal building in this city were opened and the contract awarded to Lewis B. Gumb for $4870.

Report on the Water Supply.

The water board's report, the 22d annual, is being distributed. Its illustrations are those of the new plant of the Hydraulic construction company in the driven well district, of a section of the pipe laying. The statistical portions of the report will be of interest to tax payers in general, and the report on meters to the householder in particular.

Bids on Hose and Pipe.

Postmaster Pearson, as custodian of the federal building, asked for bids for standpipe and hose for the use of the post office. The bids closed on Tuesday at noon, and were as follows: Callahan & Sanborn, $73.80; C. B. Coburn & Co., $113.85; Lowell Rubber Co., $107.50; same, another quality, $95; H. R. Barker Co., for "Rob Roy," $123; "Clark," $119; "Everett," $112; "Standard," $73. The specifications simply ask for "best" quality. The bids will be submitted to the department at Washington.

Lowell Cemetery Committees.

The trustees of the Lowell cemetery met yesterday afternoon, at the Middlesex Trust Co.'s rooms, corner of Merrimack and Palmer streets. President Wilder resigned his position of trustee and Larkin T. Trull, Esq., was elected to succeed him on the board.

The committees for the current year were announced as follows:

Finance—C. L. Hildreth, C. A. Stott, E. A. Smith, L. T. Trull.

Personal Property—Francis Jewett, W. H. Wiggin, L. R. J. Varnum, Albert Pinder.

Cemetery—J. L. Campbell, Z. E. Stone, D. M. Prescott, August Fels.

LOWELL'S CITY CHARTER.

Hot Discussion Over the Proposal to Amend it in the House Yesterday.

The Lowell charter bill was passed to be engrossed in the House yesterday.

When the bill to amend the city charter of Lowell came up for consideration, Mr. O'Connor of Lowell moved as an amendment to strike out section 5 of the bill, which provides that the acts of the convention, composed of the aldermen and councilmen, and to be called to carry out the provisions of the act, shall not be submitted to the mayor for approval or disapproval.

Mr. Roper of Lowell moved as an amendment that the convention referred to be called within five instead of 10 days after the passage of the bill.

Mr. Hayes of Lowell opposed the amendment of Mr. O'Connor, saying that it is absolutely necessary to take from the mayor the veto power in this instance. Mr. Roper's amendment was adopted, that of Mr. O'Connor rejected (28 to 76) and the bill passed to be engrossed.

SOME CRISP GOSSIP.

The engagement of "Hands Aross the Sea" calls to mind the many pleasant times the Lowell newspaper men had with the original company, at the club room. Mr. Reeves who was then manager made $75,000 last season with the company and dropped it all out west where money was awfully scarce. He is now treasurer for the Prince Kam company. Mr. Hale who played Mr. Hickory of Chicago, and later Count Paul, is manager of Humanity and was here last week. Jack Furlong is one of the leading stage managers of the country. Harry Parsons, Mr. Pierson and his wife and Mr. Wolff are all with metropolitan companies. Mr. Wallis, who years ago played in the Lowell Museum is with Our Flat. Mr. Campbell is the present owner of the company coming here tonight.

What has become of the cry of hard times? The theatres are crowded this week. The Cadets made about $25,000, and the sale of German and French opera tickets is very large.—Journal.

The same may almost be said in Lowell, for the theatres are crowded every night and yet this is the Lenten season.

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E. G. Parker of 22 East Merrimack street will reduce his stock of coal regardless of cost. See ad.

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The greatest remedy for a cough ever known is Dr. Phelan's Cough Syrup. A bottle costs 25 cents and is on sale at 239 Gorham street and all druggists.

George F. Stiles, deputy sheriff and messenger of the insolvent estate of Albert W. Derbyshire, will sell at public auction at the "Enterprise Cash Grocery store" on Prescott street, in Lowell, on Monday, April 1st, at 10 o'clock a. m. (and continuing until sold), all the stock of groceries and fixtures contained in said store; also, horses, wagons, harnesses, sleighs, etc., which will be sold at 10 o'clock a. m. on day of sale. Terms cash.

Cotton Mule Spinners' Union.

There will be a special meeting of the union Friday evening for the purpose of instructing the delegates to the convention.

Exceptions Come Up Tomorrow.

The exceptions raised by City Solicitor Hogan in the quo warranto proceedings against President Sullivan of the common council will be argued before the full bench to-morrow.

Violations of the Law.

Secretary Courtney of the overseers of the poor has called the board's attention to the fact that the law is violated in relation to the care of infants by certain persons who make a business of it.

Always the Best.

The grand spring opening of fine millinery at Johnson's, 326 Merrimack street, Associate building, will occur on Friday and Saturday of this week. The display of fine foreign and domestic millinery will by far exceed anything ever shown in Lowell, and will be as it has in the past, the best of the season.

All on Deck at "Dog Watch."

Farragut camp, Sons of Veterans, met last evening and received two applications for membership.

It was decided to take part in the Memorial day parade and a committee was appointed to assist the G.A.R. posts in making arrangements. A "dog watch" campfire will be heard next Wednesday.

Two Remembrances in Gold.

Mr. Robert Bradley, an employe of the Thorndike Mfg. Co., who will sail for England the latter part of this week, was very pleasantly surprised by his fellow workmen yesterday.

The weavers assembled, and in their behalf, Supt. Kendrick with a happy speech presented him a gold ring and a gold pin with stone setting. Mr. Bradley responded when he had recovered his speech.

Roily Water in Ward Four.

During the past few days the water in Wards Four and Five has been yellow and musty looking, and to account for this Engineer Bowers says that there has been a cut-out to admit of the starting of the Washington wells and the water rushing into the pipes caused the collection of mud to be carried along with it. It is expected that pumping from the new wells will be begun by Saturday or Monday when the water will again be clear.

THE DISTURBERS AGAIN.

They Continued Their Incendiary Work Last Night.

Another incendiary meeting was held in Huntington hall, last night, and a Rev. Mr. Johnson of Lynn was the speaker. As usual he uttered the most fulsome lies against the Catholic church and its ministers, but as usual only in a general way. None of these clerical calumniators can give anything specific in support of their infamous charges. The object of last night's meeting was to raise funds to support a new daily paper to be issued from Boston. In this regard it was a comparative failure. Meetings were held all over New England last night for the same purpose.

BOWLING NEWS.

The Heroes, but not the heroes, rather the martyrs of the winter tournament at Les Miserables alleys, bowled the final game in the second division last night and were buried. Boardman of the Belvideres had a single string of 223. The scores were as follows:

Belvideres—Rogers 462, Boardman 526, Mansur 455, Morse 455, Halstead 432; total 2352.

Heroes—Farley 429, Boulger 398, Long 413, Donahue 413, Cassidy 413; total 2063.

The Westminsters, champions of the Rhode Island state league, will play Les Miserables on the East Merrimack street alleys tonight. John B. Swift will captain the visitors.

HYMENEAL.

The marriage of Mr. John A. Lyman of Malden and Miss Ada E. Wood occurred last evening at the residence of Mrs. Jacob Nichols, the grandmother of the groom, at 251 Appleton street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Greene and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lyman acted as best man and bridesmaid. The bride was attired in white silk trimmed with white satin ribbon and pearls. She carried a bouquet of brides' roses. The bridesmaid wore lavender silk trimmed with white satin. The wedding gifts were large and costly. Shortly after nine o'clock the happy couple departed on their wedding tour and upon their return will reside at 257 Appleton street. Among the out-of-town friends present were: Miss Almira Lyman of Malden, sister to the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Pratt and Dr. and Mrs. Horace F. Gleason of Malden; Mrs. Ida M. Cunningham of Malden; Mr. and Mrs. Large, Miss Ella Byron and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hough, all of Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Lyman were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Jacob Nichols, Mrs. Cunningham, Mr. and Mr. Walter Lyman. The ushers were Messrs. Andrew G. Stiles and Charles L. Martin. Harry K. Lyman, brother of the groom, was master of ceremonies.

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SEAMAN KILLED

He Did Not Understand Spain's Demand.

ENGLAND NOW HAS A POSITIVE GRIEVANCE

Which Must be Explained by Spain.

BALTIMORE, March 28.—At 2 o'clock on the morning of March 19, Spanish sentries murderously shot and killed a seaman of the British steamship Laurestina, and badly wounded a Cuban negro at St. Jago, Cuba. The British government is investigating the matter and complications between Great Britain and Spain may result.

The Laurestina arrived at this port yesterday afternoon from St. Jago, and her officers denounced the shooting as murder. They stated that the seaman was John Lowe, aged 35, a resident of Leeds, who had shipped at Cardiff. On the night of March 18, the crew went ashore for a stroll and walked up from where the vessel was lying to the town of St. Jago, a short distance away. The boatswain, Lowe and another seaman were of the party, and, after a walk about the town, started to return to the ship.

Language Was Unintelligible.

When nearly there, Lowe determined to return to the town, and started back in company with a Cuban negro. En route they had to pass a Cuban fort garrisoned by Spanish troops. Suddenly a sentinel sprang out of the darkness as they neared the fort, and in Spanish commanded them to halt.

Lowe did not understand the command and started to hurry away. The next instant the sentinel raised his musket and fired. Lowe dropped to his knees and rolled over a corpse. The negro then started to run, when he, too, was shot and mortally wounded.

The dead man and the wounded negro were carried inside the fort. At daybreak Captain Gavin of the Laurestina went to the fort and demanded the body of the man. The demand was refused and he has made formal complaint to the British government. An investigation is to be made.

Complaint Goes to England.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Ambassador Pauncefote has received no news as to the killing of Seaman Lowe of the Laurestina by the Spanish soldiers at St. Jago. After reading the account of the matter given by the officers of the ship, he said:

"This is evidently a very outrageous case, and will, of course, be promptly investigated. It is not a matter that would come to this office at all, however, the complaint being made directly to England. No doubt the captain of the ship will make a deposition as to the facts before the British consul, Captain Seagrove, at Baltimore, and the latter will forward it to England. I am glad to have had my attention called to it, as I can make certain that all the evidence is taken."

Two Score A. P. A. Meetings.

BOSTON, March 28.—About 40 A. P. A. meetings were held in the leading cities and towns of Massachusetts last night, addressed by prominent members of the order and other well-known men and women. "Americanism" was the keynote of all the speeches, and there was a large attendance at the meetings. Many spoke of the late war and its lessons; others of the public schools and how they should be maintained. A few denounced the press of Boston and charged it with unfair treatment of the news.

Republicans Claim Fraud.

BALTIMORE, March 28.—An election for councilman in the 15th and 16th wards resulted in the election of the Democratic candidate by 27 majority. The Republican challengers have furnished a list of 71 voters in six precincts of the 16th ward who, they allege, were deprived of their right to cast a ballot, owing to the fact that someone had already voted under their names.

Train Robbers Beaten Off.

DANVILLE, Ky., March 28.—An unsuccessful attempt was made to hold up a train on the Cincinnati Southern road early yesterday morning at Greenwood. There was a terrific fight between the robbers and trainmen and three of the robbers were killed. The train was a fast Florida special from Cincinnati.

"Tired of Life."

HAVERHILL, March 28.—W. S. Peabody, a prominent merchant of this city, after telling his wife that he was "tired of life," took two ounces of prussic acid and died shortly afterward.

WILL HAVE AN ORATION.

Two G. A. R. Posts Favor Continuing the Full Program of Exercises on Memorial Day.

The Memorial day committees' reference of the oration matter to the posts individually was the subject of discussion at Post 185, last night. It was almost a unanimous vote in favor of omitting an oration with which to conclude the Memorial day exercises. The following resolution was also adopted:

"The members of Post 185, G. A. R., hereby tender their sincere thanks to all who contributed articles and gave their services to the late bazaar, thereby making the same a financial success. (Signed) D. A. Brown, commander; C. H. Richardson, adjutant."

Post 42 voted in favor of the oration 11 to 7; Post 120 voted 20 to 2 to retain the evening exercises.

The joint committee will meet tonight and the action of a majority of the posts will be accepted as the guide.

Church Collections During April.

Collections in the various churches of the archdiocese of Boston will be taken up in the month of April, and be presented as an offering of the laity of the city to Archbishop Williams on the coming celebration of the 50th anniversary of his ordination as a priest.

There is No Limit.

Court Middlesex, A. O. F. of A., has nearly reached the 7000 mark by 15 applications at its last meeting, making 50 since Jan. 1. These grand court delegates have been chosen: John W. Downing, C. R., Wm. J. Johnson, Hugh J. Leonard, Chas. Connors, Patrick O'Leary, Edward J. McGann, Thos. F. Butler. A committee was appointed for the purpose of drawing up suitable resolutions on the death of Grand Secretary P. E. Conroy of Marlboro.

Presented a Fine Regalia.

An entertainment was given at Excelsior lodge, M. U. O. F., last evening. One of the features was the presentation to Past Grand James P. Ramsay of a handsome regalia, the presentation speech being made by Rev. Dr. Court.

MORE HONORS.

Prince Bismarck Receives Visits From High German Officials.

FRIEDRICHSRUHE, March 28. — Prince Bismarck does not seem to be any the worse for the fatigues which he has endured during the past few days. The visit of Prince Henry of Prussia yesterday was quite unexpected. He cordially congratulated Prince Bismarck upon his hale and hearty appearance.

Prince Hohenlohe, in presenting Prince Bismarck with a joint letter of congratulation from the federal council and the Prussian ministry, said that those two bodies were proud of having for 10 years worked under his leadership for the welfare of the fatherland.

The prince, after thanking Prince Hohenlohe, and asking him to convey to the federal council and Prussian ministry his warmest thanks for their kind message, added: "It was always a pleasure to me to work with you, and I am the more pleased that you, as chancellor, should be the bearer of the congratulations."

King Oscar's Propositions.

STOCKHOLM, March 28.—The proposals of King Oscar looking to a settlement of the deadlock between Norway and Sweden will advocate separate consuls for each country, but will not prevent one consul from acting for both countries. The foreign office will be organized on a common basis, each country enjoying equal privileges. The minister of foreign affairs is to be either a Norwegian or a Swede and is to be responsible to a joint delegation composed of members of the rigsdad and of the storthing.

Ten Duels Threatened.

VIENNA, March 28.—Herr Tarnoczy, the returning officer whose presence in the lower house of the Hungarian diet caused the members of the Opposition to act in a most disorderly manner, has published a letter in which he charges 10 deputies—naming them—with cowardice in having libelled him in the house. It is expected that the publication of this letter will result in every one of the deputies named challenging Herr Tarnoczy to fight duels.

No Interference.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 28.—It is semi-officially stated that in reply to China's request that they mediate for the declaration of an armistice during the peace negotiations, Germany and the United States have notified China that they are resolved to maintain a strictly neutral attitude in regard to China and Japan. The other powers to which a similar appeal was made have refused to interfere.

Reichstag's New President.

BERLIN, March 28.—The reichstag voted for a new president to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Herr von Levetzow, and Baron von Buol-Berenberg was chosen, receiving 188 votes. The Conservatives and National-Liberals handed in 105 blank votes.

Anticipating Trouble In Belgium.

BRUSSELS, March 28. — At a cabinet council it was decided to immediately mobilize 7000 soldiers of the army reserve. This step has been determined upon on account of the danger arising from political agitation in industrial centers.

Americans In a Parisian Tragedy.

PARIS, March 28.—Thomas O'Brien, an American, yesterday shot a companion named Wendel, also said to be an American. Wendel is dying. O'Brien declared Wendel had frequently threatened to kill him.

Bloodthirsty Kaffirs Routed.

CAPE TOWN, March 28.—Advices received here show that a force of rebellious Kaffirs attacked, on March 27, a Portuguese gunboat near Maroqueen. They were repulsed with heavy losses.

Gift of the Kaiser.

BERLIN, March 28—Emperor William has conferred the Order of the Crown of First Class upon Prince Yamashina, a prince of the royal family of Japan, who has been traveling in Europe.

Mikado Takes Action.

SHIMONOSEKI, March 28.—The mikado has dismissed the prefect and chief of police of this town for remissness in affording protection to Li Hung Chang. His condition is improving.

Japan Refuses Request.

KOBE, March 28.—The Japanese loan of 8,000,000 yen to Corea has fallen through, owing to the refusal of Japan to grant Corea's request that the loan be kept standing for 15 years.

French Enter British Territory.

AKASSA, Morocco, March 28.—Two large French expeditions have entered the British Niger territory. This action of the French is a breach of the Anglo-French treaty of 1890.

Report of Commission to Be Confirmed.

VIENNA, March 28.—It is learned that the Armenian commission, in its findings, will confirm the report of the Armenian atrocities.

Old World Growth.

CALCUTTA, March 28.—The new telegraph line connecting Mandalay, Burmah, with Pekin was opened yesterday.

Fatal Duel.

PARIS, March 28.—M. Souboyre, a civil engineer, was killed yesterday in a duel.

Harvard, as Usual.

PRINCETON, March 28.—Princeton and Harvard met for the first time on the rostrum last night, and the judges decided in favor of Harvard. Harvard chose the negative of the question: "Resolved, If it were possible, a reasonable property qualification for the exercise of the municipal franchise in the United States would be desirable."

Maine Legislature Adjourns.

AUGUSTA, March 28.—The 67th Maine legislature has adjourned sine die. The body has broken the record for the amount of work done, having passed 493 acts, 134 resolves and 87 measures. The appropriation bills for 1895 amount to $1,758,400; for 1896, $1,624,107. All matters on passage went through yesterday and were signed.

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TUPPER RESIGNS

Canadian Cabinet is Nearing its Fall.

MANITOBA REPLIES TO QUEBEC AND OTTAWA.

Vigorous Protest Against the Recent Decision.

OTTAWA, March 28.—That there are serious dissensions in the cabinet goes without saying, but the extent of the division is the unanswerable question. There are two causes for this want of harmony. One is the recent passage of the order in council recommending the Manitoban government to grant remedial legislation to the Catholic minority.

This order has pleased nobody. The Catholics of Quebec think that the order ought to be mandatory, while the Protestants of Ontario assert that the federal government ought not, even by suggestion, to interfere with the question of provincial education.

The other cause of trouble was the decision of the cabinet to hold a session of parliament before going to the country. This decision was bitterly opposed by Minister of Finance Foster, who will have a budget deficiency of some $4,000,000 to announce, and was anxious to make an appeal to the country before this disheartening piece of financial news was officially made public.

J. C. Patterson, the minister of militia, if not the first to feel the coming storm, was the first to steer for a harbor of refuge. It was announced in the government organizations that Patterson, owing to his poor health, the politicians' convenient plea, had resigned his portfolio and would accept the lieutenant governorship of Manitoba. This was accompanied by an elaborate statement of the harmony prevailing in the cabinet, which was in itself regarded in political circles as very suspicious, and indicating that all was not right in that happy family, composed of French Roman Catholics and Ontario Orangemen.

It is definitely known that Sir Charles Tupper has tendered his resignation. He has not attended cabinet meetings for the past three days. His resignation was brought about by two causes. In the first place, his advices that an immediate appeal should be made to the country was disregarded, and his claim to lead the house of commons was denied.

At a Critical Stage.

A dispatch from Winnipeg states that the remedial order on separate schools does not come up in the legislature until tonight, but it is, nevertheless, the one topic of the day here.

Both the government and Opposition are holding frequent caucus meetings, and what the outcome will be is difficult to predict. One thing is certain, viz., that the Manitoban government will resent interference by Ottawa on educational matters. There is every indication that the policy of the Opposition in the legislature will be to advocate some modifications to the school law, in other words, some sort of compromise. The Opposition of Premier Greenway and the government is clearly outlined. The newspaper organ of the government has this official statement under the heading:

"Manitoba's Answer."

The remedial order has been read in the legislature. We are asked to restore the school system that was in operation previous to 1890. Let Quebec and Ottawa rest assured that the restoration will never be made. Manitoba has too keen a sense of justice, too much regard for truth and equity, to recognize as a religious aristocracy an element to its population by no means the most worthy.

As a civilized people, attempting to realize in a measure the ideals of the 19th century, Manitobans will not silently submit to the preposterous demand that she should turn back the wheels of progress 300 years. She will stubbornly refuse to supplant modern civilization by medievalism. This whole question is not a quarrel between Manitoba and the Dominion. It is not even a quarrel between creeds and races. It is a struggle as to whether the ideas of the 19th century or the ideas of the Dark Ages shall prevail.

The act of 1890 was designed to give to every church in the land the benefits of common school education. It recognizes neither class nor creed, but places all on the same level of citizenship. It aimed at development in this noble country, a unity of sentiment, a strong feeling of brotherhood, and it sought to sink all prejudices and class distinctions through making all equal in the sign of the law. Could anything be more wise? Could anything be more just?

Yet what was the attitude of the Roman Catholic church? Standing aside, wrapped up in its black mantle of arrogance, it demanded that it should be considered a religious aristocracy. It refused to have the children of its members receive instructions side by side with the children of those who are their superiors in intelligence and wisdom.

And on what grounds? It said Catholics were promised different treatment from others by the act that called the province into existence. Then when shown that even if this were true, which it is not, no just citizen would claim a fulfillment of the promise, since it would violate one of the foundation principles of state organization—equal rights to all.

It gave a second reason that the public schools are Protestant. If the refusal of a Roman Catholic to act as a member of the department of education and of the archbishop to act as a member of the advisory board could make the schools Protestant, then they are so; otherwise, not a shadow of proof has been advanced in support of this claim.

Why does not the Roman Catholic church come out with the truth at once? Why not advance the real reason for discontent? Rome is not in accord with the spirit of the age. It is wedded to a dead past. Medievalism cannot coalesce with modern thought.

"Creed Against Creed."

In place of the act of 1890, what a substitute is offered. We are asked to set creed against creed and race against race; to break up the interest that should exist; to mutually support each other in wrongdoing; to make the state the teacher of religious truth.

How can any Romanist, believing that Protestants' schools are teaching errors, conscientiously support them, and how can any Protestant, believing that the religious teaching of the Roman Catholic church is erroneous, agree that a portion of his tax should be voted toward the support of such teachings?

No, any one who has the least sense of justice, any one who is patriotic in the slightest degree, any one who believes that all citizens are equal in the sight of the law, and that what is good enough for one is good enough for all, must stand by the act of 1890.

And this is our answer to Quebec. We shall not allow the state to support religion; we shall not allow the church to control the state; we shall not return to the civilization of the Dark Ages; we shall not recognize Rome as better or in any way different from others. We shall hold to the principles of equal rights for all, and that principle shall be dearer to us than confederation itself.

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Higgins Is Crazy.

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The Safe Blown Open.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., March 28. — The Auburn State bank of Auburn was robbed of $1000 at 3 o'clock yesterday morning. The safe was blown open and rifled of its contents.

Little Boy's Skull Crushed.

FALL RIVER, March 28.—A 4-year-old son of William H. Millerick was instantly killed yesterday by the wheel of a stone gear, which crushed his skull.

How Chicago Has Grown.

CHICAGO, March 28.—Francis Chamberlin, at one time the only white child in Chicago, died yesterday. His father came to Chicago in 1832. They were here at the time of the Fort Dearborn massacre, and Mrs. Chamberlin was saved from death by the noted Indian chief Black Partridge. The incident has been perpetuated in bronze on the spot.

Millions of Cod Turned Out.

GLOUCESTER, March 28.—The fish hatchery on Ten Pound island closed yesterday for the season. The output of young cod has been 18,000,000, as against 25,000,000 last year. Extreme cold weather in February destroyed millions of eggs in the process of hatching.

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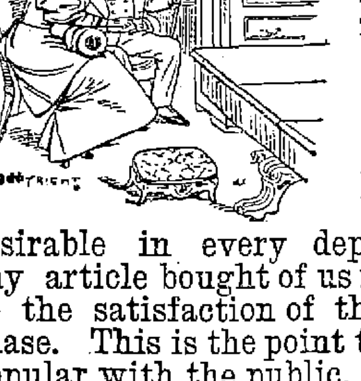

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MICHAEL J. MARTIN GUILTY

SO SAID THE JURY IN THE MANSLAUGHTER CASE.

This Result Was Reached After Six Hours Debate—Case Will Probably be Taken Up on Exceptions.

The jury in the Middlesex Superior court, in East Cambridge, which heard the case of Michael J. Martin of Lowell, charged with manslaughter in causing the death of Patrick Buckley, Oct. 21 last, brought in a verdict of guilty yesterday afternoon. Sentence was not imposed.

The case has attracted considerable attention. Martin is only 17 years old. It was alleged that he threw a stone which struck Mr. Buckley, who was an old man, fracturing his skull, death resulting a few hours afterward.

It was not claimed that Martin had any motive to commit the crime. The government claimed that Martin had trouble with persons in a saloon on Concord street and upon leaving the saloon that he threw stones at them.

Mr. Buckley was a disinterested party, and at the time of the stone throwing was standing some distance away, talking with his son. The claim of the government was that Martin, if he did not throw the stone which caused the death of Buckley, was at least one of the men who were assailing James T. Roche and his friends.

Dist.-Atty. Weir and Asst. Dist.-Atty. Sanderson prosecuted the case for the government, and Martin was defended by Mayor Courtney of Lowell.

Mayor Courtney has filed a number of exceptions which will be argued before the Supreme court. The maximum sentence is 20 years but the youthfulness of the defendant and the nature of the testimony is likely to result in a comparatively light sentence.

NEW INSANITY LAW.

Effort Being Made to Get Better Certification in Cases of Insanity.

In the senate the committee on public charitable institutions has reported a bill providing that in any hearing held for the commitment of any person alleged to be insane to a lunatic hospital, asylum or other place provided by law, no one shall be qualified as a physician to make to a judge a certificate of the insanity of the person unless he is a graduate of a legally chartered school or college, in practice of his profession in this commonwealth for three years at least, and is duly registered, and unless his standing, character and professional knowledge of insanity is satisfactory to said judge.

Each certificate bearing date more than 10 days prior to any commitment of any person alleged to be insane shall be null and void; and none shall be valid, or received in evidence, if signed by any physician holding any office in the hospital or asylum to which the person may be committed.

LOCAL NOTES.

Mr. Otto Muller of Lawrence was in this city yesterday.

A meeting of the water board has been called for this evening.

Joe Flaherty will challenge the winner of a match soon to come off at the Seaside athletic club.

The street department and the street railway company have been asked to remove the rubbish deposited on the commons.

The New England whist association convention will occur on Patriots' day and the Highland club of Lowell will take part in it.

Dr. W. B. Jackson gave an informal talk at the Middlesex woman's club yesterday, and told of the different species of bacteria.

The annual Easter sale of the Ladies' Benevolent society of the First Congregational church opened last evening and was attended by a great crowd.

Court Columbus, A. O. F. of A., has chosen Messrs A. Bourbonniere, Dennis Healey and James McCusker delegates to the state A. O. F. convention.

"John, the orangeman" was unfortunate enough to get into the Cambridge police court yesterday. Over jubilation caused liquidation, and a fine.

Green says his business is good in pianos and sewing machines by selling cheap and giving satisfaction. He repairs watches and jewelry cheaper than any house in Lowell. Green's, 58 Merrimack street.

Why Not.

If you are economizing why not look over your printing bills and see if you are not paying too much for printing. Call at this office and get prices on your work, and see if we cannot save money for you.

Are You Going Home to Ireland?

Do you send money across? If so, call at 324 Market Street, corner of Worthen. Mr. O'Donnell's drafts are payable at any bank in England, Ireland or Scotland. Passage Tickets to and from Queenstown, Galway, Londonderry, Belfast and Liverpool, Glasgow, and all parts of the old country at lowest rates.

James F. O'Donnell,

Agent for the Cunard and other steamship lines, 324 Market Street, cor. Worthen.

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ON THE DIAMOND

How Association is Preparing For the Season.

PLAYERS ASSIGNED TO THE SEVERAL CLUBS.

Nearly All Are Young and Unbroken Men.

The first assignment of players to the Lowell club was announced in THE SUN extra yesterday afternoon. Excepting Van Allystn who has a good record with the Fall River team, all the men on the team and in fact in the association are practically unknown. Ed. Flanagan is a first-class man. George Moore, who goes to Lawrence, played with Pawtucket last season.

The allotment of players is as follows:

Salem—J. M. Corrigan, John McManus, D. J. Murphy, Charles McGraw, Charles Moore, William C. Regan, John Shaffer, Frank McSteen, Martin Loftus, P. J. Hagerty, Philip Jason, William Carey.

Fitchburg—Edward Lee, W. J. Scanlan, F. M. Donovan, Thomas H. McNally, J. C. Stoutt, W. B. Clements, W. J. McGee, F. W. Popky, Fred Creves, Peter Campbell, G. H. Standigle; P. L. Nash, W. V. Gillis, Thomas J. Whalen.

Lawrence—J. B. Kelley, M. Burke, G. P. Richardson, Al Strowger, J. T. Burke, T. E. Clougherty, Grant Myler, John Irwin, G. H. Lee, J. J. O'Connell, G. R. Moore, Michael Leonard, Austin Ball, Claude Scribner, J. D. Bradley, J. J. Dillane, J. McCracken.

Haverhill—Daniel Lucey, G. Hacker, M. Standish, R. Standish, J. Hofford, A. E. Brinton, Carl Samuelson, C. J. Conley, P. J. Rooney, M. F. Friel, James Hutchinson, John Sheehan, G. W. Grant, O. R. Clayton, J. C. Kennedy.

Nashua—F. S. Luchia, E. J. O'Harra, C. Beringer, S. Ansell, W. Thursby, F. A. Pigeon, W. J. Morgan, M. F. Birmingham, J. J. O'Harra, Mark B. Gill, Alfred Shaw, James Stokes, John Downs, Thomas Hanley, Frank Myers, Frank Walcott.

The Mathews base ball team for the season will be made up as follows: Farrell and Donavan, catchers; Roach and McCarthy, pitchers; Henry Maguire 1b and capt; Steve Castles, second base; Slines, s. s., McGuirk, third base; Mullen, left field; Lyons, center; Vaughn, right. The association team will have to look to its laurels for the Mathews will be after its scalp. The opening games will be at Fitchburg on April 19th with the regular team, and in Lowell the 20th against the Lowells. Besides their regular team there are enough young colts in the institute to make up another hustling team. Who says base ball is dead in Lowell?

The decision to have home clubs settle expenses on rainy days is a sensible one. Electric car fares will be the only expenses.

Manager Mahoney said to THE SUN after the meeting that he would get the history of each player before ordering them to report April 15th, then to fill vacancies he will sign good players wherever he can get them.

Next week he will start out to find out how much support will be given the game, in a financial way. If he can get the support he is certain of giving the Lowell public a good quality of ball. He will endeavor to get Manager Sullivan of the railway company to assist in securing the Dracut grounds.

Among the players who want a Lowell engagement is George Todin, the former second baseman.

One of the Lowell players is recommended as a sprinter.

The Lowell Reform club has organized a base ball team with the following players: James McCluskey r., William Forbes s., Joseph Coughlin 1, William Cronin p., D. Hallowell c., Healey l., Mulrey 2, Mack 3, Edward Cronin m., James McCluskey, manager; William Cronin, captain.

A number of the friends of Billy Gallagher of the Toledo Base Ball club assembled at the residence of Mr. Edward McCashin on Cumberland road, Tuesday evening, and tendered the popular ball tosser a merry time before his departure. A number of useful articles were presented him by his friends.

The practice league team games yesterday resulted in Washington defeating Boston 15 to 5. The Baltimores defeated the New Orleans 15 to 4.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

MCDONALD.—At the Immaculate Conception church this morning a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Dacey, O. M. I. for the repose of the soul of the late Elizabeth McDonald. The church was filled with relatives and friends of the deceased. The choir directed by Prof. Haggerty rendered Schmidt's requiem mass. The pall bearers were Messrs. James Cox, Andrew Fahey, James Clinton, William McDonald, Patrick Kane and John Brunette. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

CHRISTIE—The funeral of David Christie, whose remains were found in the woods at Tewksbury, on Sunday, occurred this afternoon from the Edson chapel where services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Sayers. Interment was in the Edson cemetery.

HILLS—The funeral of the late George A. Hills occurred this afternoon from his late home, 4 Fairmount street at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Batchellor officiated at the funeral services and Charles H. Coburn had charge of the arrangements. The interment was in the Lowell cemetery in charge of J. B. Currier.

SPALDING—The remains of the late Dr. Charles P. Spalding were consigned to their last resting place this afternoon. Funeral services were conducted at the home, 1029 Middlesex street, by Rev. Mr. Batchelor, assisted by Rev. George C. Wright. Music was rendered by the Unitarian church choir. The bearers were Dr. Viles, Dr. Chadbourne, Dr. Huntress and Dr. Jackson. The interment was in charge of J. B. Currier in the Lowell cemetery.

The Lowell Bankers Won.

At Lawrence last night the Lowell Bankers defeated the Lawrence Canoe club at bowling, 2507 to 2397. The Lowell men's scores were: Perley 516, Swift 499, Knapp 492, Clogston 523, Smith 537.

The Calumet club defeated the Palace team 2593 to 2429 on the same alleys. The Lowell men bowled as follows: Sparks 501, Gregory 541, Tuttle 508, Carpenter 454, Hull 529.

Here Are Two Intentions.

The following intentions were recorded at the city clerk's office today: Fred J. Clark 37, to Agnes M. Clark 24, East Weymouth. Joseph Gargan 22, to Katie Dillon 19.

OUR UNCLE SAM'S BIG GIFT

IT IS THE FEDERAL BUILDING NOW READY FOR USE.

Postmaster Pearson and His Force Will Move in on Saturday Night and Business at the New Stand Will Open on Monday.

Unless the unexpected happens, next Monday morning will find Postmaster Pearson and his staff of clerks and carriers occupying Uncle Sam's imposing structure which stands at the corner of Gorham and Appleton streets, where St. Peter's church once stood, and for the construction of which, congress on April 5, 1888, appropriated $200,000.

Apartments have been provided in the building for the post office and the district department of internal revenue collection. In the construction of the building, granite was used, a portion of which was hammered and the remainder quarry faced.

The interior of the building is finished in a model manner. The flooring throughout is of Vermont marble quarried at Swanton, Vt. The wood work finish is in oak and is what is called hard wood finish. The stairways leading from one floor to another are built entirely of iron.

The first floor is devoted to the post office department. Here is the large work room in which the mail is received, sorted and delivered, shut-off from the large public corridor by a partition in which are the stamp windows and private mail boxes. One half of this partitioned portion is devoted to the work in which the clerks are engaged and the other half to carriers' work. The private boxes are of three sizes and have a heavy bevelled plate glass front, on which the number of the box is painted. Adjoining the work-rooms, at the west end of the building, is Assistant Postmaster Richardson's office, neatly fitted with oak desk, and furniture to match. Next to this is the money order department which is not yet ready for occupancy, as the gates of iron grill wire ornament which will secure the windows of this department, have not yet been placed in position. At first it was intended that this room should be occupied by the postmaster, but this plan was afterward changed.

On the second floor one large room facing on Gorham street and commanding a view down Central street, will be devoted to the board of civil service examiners.

Deputy Collector "Dick" Donovan will receive his patrons in cozy quarters fronting on Gorham street, and situated directly over the Gorham street entrance to the building.

Then there are three offices on this floor which as yet are unassigned. Janitor McGrath will be at home in fine quarters close by those of the postmaster and facing on Appleton street.

Postmaster Pearson will have ample room. Two offices directly over those occupied by the money order department and the assistant postmaster have been assigned to him. One of these is intended as a public office; the other for the transaction of private business. Both are finely furnished with desks, chairs and fire places and carpeted. In the private office is a large vault. Next to the postmaster's quarters is the toilet room, and then a large spare room which will probably be used as a store room. Running the entire length of this floor is a corridor which commands a view of the work room below. The tower is reached by means of a winding iron stairway.

In the basement are the boiler rooms, and a large room in which the carriers may spend their spare moments. The public will enter the building by the two entrances on Appleton street and one on Gorham street. A forty foot roadway will run all around the building. Arrangements have been made for gas and electric lighting and Farrell & Conaton expect to have the fixtures in by Saturday. Should they succeed in doing this, the building will be open for business next Monday morning.

FISTIC GOSSIP.

John L. Sullivan, once again has sworn off, and will train for a fight. He says there are a couple of fighters he would like to meet, O'Donnell and Kilrain. Corbett has repeatedly stated that he is sure that O'Donnell can beat any man living, bar himself, so I will give him the first chance. Some of my friends have already been talking for such a match, but Charley Johnson telegraphed me that O'Donnell's backers are trying to dodge me by saying that he is matched with Peter Maher. The match they referred to was made long before Corbett sent out his challenge on behalf of O'Donnell to fight any man in the world, and I want to accept that challenge. No one can say that John L. Sullivan ever issued a challenge or offered to fight that he was not strictly in earnest. When I challenged I always meant business, and all pugilists that want to stand well should be the same way."

"Supposing O'Donnell won't fight you, then who will you be willing to fight?"

"I will give Jake Kilrain the next chance. If he thinks he is my superior today, I will give him another try, and I will beat him easier than I did before."

"In case neither O'Donnell nor Kilrain will entertain your offer, have you any other man in view?"

"Yes, I have, but I won't speak of them just now. They will keep. Both of those that I have referred to have said that they would box me, and I will hesitate about any other man, until I have forced an issue of some kind with them."

In conclusion, Sullivan said that he was going to train slowly and carefully, and in every way take good care of himself, as he is certain that the time is not far distant when he will again enter the ring.

EUROPEAN TRIP CONTEST.

There were three changes in totals, yesterday, besides one vote cast for Lawyer Jerome F. Manning. In a bunch of 50 ballots came a note complimentary to Mr. John Hughes of Div. 1, A. O. H., and also a popular member of the Y. M. C. I., and expressing a wish for his final triumph. The list today is as follows:

John J. Henley, Suffolk street, baker	**2010**
P. O'Rourke, 1 Lagrange street	**1557**
Michael P. Regan, Gorham & Union sts.	**1218**
J. T. Whittaker, Congress St.	**1007**
Charles Ablitt, 14 Andrew street	712
M. J. Horan, 13 Lagrange	709
John B. Caney, 90 Crosby street	615
Mr. Finnegan, 31 Kidder street	352
John Hughes, 32 High street	275
Joseph Ashworth, Chambers street	200
W. R. Kennedy, 57 Willow street	110
W. Booth, E. Merrimack street	108
John F. Tansey, 30 Pleasant st	107
James McCarron, 44 Gorham street	100
Michael F. O'Brien, 607 Market street	75
John J. Leary, 6 Lewis street	70
E. B. Donovan, 124 Gorham street	60
Owen Trybe, 548 Gorham st	60
John Bovie, 23 Read street	50
James McDonald, 9 Wall street	50
R. H. Harkins, Cigar Mfg	41
Fred Elgeid, 245 High st	35
M. J. Lynch, 46 Second avenue	35
John Doherty, 85 Beach street	35
John Muldoon, 7 Chase street	30
George E. Putnam, 26 Read street	30
Thomas McCaffrey, 81 Bartlett street	25
Walter V. Hickey, pres. M. T. I.	23
M. Shanley, 56 Lawrence street	23
L. Decker, 1096 Bridge street	23
J. L. Nedd, 309 Central street	22

CONROY'S SPITE

Made Him Throw That Lime at Richardson.

IMPULSE OF THE MOMENT CARRIED OUT.

Had Brooded Over Religious Taunts and Twittings.

Patrick Conroy was brought here from Bridgeport on the boat train, last night, and was arraigned in the police court this morning. Chief Davis arrived in Bridgeport at 6 o'clock last night and got to Boston with his prisoner at 11 o'clock hurrying across the city just in time to catch the theatre train for Lowell.

The chief found Conroy seated in his cell smoking a pipe. He expressed a willingness to return.

"I have not had two hours sleep since Friday," he said. "Everybody I met I thought was chasing me."

He told the chief that after the assault he went to Boston and stayed there with friends until Tuesday night when he went to Bridgeport where some of his friends live. They advised him to surrender himself to the police and he did.

He said that Richardson always treated him well, but since St. Patrick's Day has been talking to him about the Catholics, and his religion until he got all worked up over it. Then the children angered him by waving A. P. A. flags at him.

He had no words with Richardson in the tool shed, Friday morning. "There was the lime," he said, "and somehow the devil got hold of me and I threw a handful of it in his face. I hardly knew what I was doing and am sorry for it."

Chief Davis believes that Conroy is cranky on religion.

Conroy was arraigned and he pleaded guilty to the charge of having assaulted Richardson. The court ordered him under $1200 bonds for his appearance before the grand jury in the June term.

The defendant told Chief Davis that besides the annoyance given him by Mr. Richardson after the St. Patrick's day parade, the latter renewed it after some so-called patriotic lecture in Huntington hall and kept up his slanderous attack upon the Catholic religion until he (Conroy) was nearly crazy. It is a significant fact that Mr. Richardson can't be interviewed, neither does he seem eager to push the case against Conroy.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

A Wonderful Response.

"Sowing the Wind" played for the third time to a crowded Opera house; scores of people were unable to secure seats and a return engagement has been booked. Mary Hampton and the same company, as previously, presented the drama in superb manner.

The Hustler Tonight.

For farce comedy pure and simple The Hustler tonight has few better competitors. Mathews and Bulger, the comedians, are two of the best playing comedy roles. They are original in everything they do. The Hustler is a money maker every time and ought to be a success here.

The Second Mrs. Tanqueray.

The Kendals do not need a lengthy introduction. Friday night they will play in The Second Mrs. Tanqueray, the most talked of drama of Pinero. Their original London company will support them.

In Darkest Russia.

This melodrama will also have an inning, Saturday. In Darkest Russia, a meritorious production based on a story of the Czar's dominion will be given by an excellent company. It is full of thrilling climaxes, strong dialogues, thoughtful action and an entrancing love story. It will be given by a well balanced company.

Pauline Hall Is Coming.

On Monday evening, Miss Pauline Hall will play Dorcas, a romance in which she has made a great hit. Her ability outside of opera is clearly shown in this production.

Hands Across the Sea.

J. E. Toole, the comedian closed a successful engagement at Music Hall last night, and left behind a wide acquaintanceship which will greet him on his next visit. Tonight "Hands Across the Sea" will begin for three nights. This melodrama is in reality the most successful ever staged. It holds the record for drawing powers at the Opera house, both for a single night or a week stand engagement. In being presented at popular prices an excellent company will be seen. Secure your seats only.

Mary Gertrude McKenzie, the talented young reader, entertained Joseph Haworth with a reading of the curse scene from Leah and other pieces, on Tuesday at the American house. Mr. Haworth predicted a brilliant future for her should she go on the stage.

Messrs. Snow and Foy of the Haworth company were the guests of Mr. W. S. Holt while in this city.

A BREAK REPORTED.

Two Batteries and a Bell Are Moved by Human Force.

A man who believes that electricity is a moving force broke into the new house of Mr. Edmund Brickett on Gibson street, Sunday night. He stole two batteries and an electric bell. Three neighbors saw the burglar, and from his description Mr. Brickett has found the man. If the articles are not returned there will be a complaint issued.

Of Special Interest.

The store of the Commercial Tea Co. is being enlarged to meet the demands of their increasing business.

They have something to announce in a few days that will interest every one.

Now for Chris Holmes' Event.

The snow on the ground today rather dispells the thoughts of opening, but nevertheless the swelling buds on maple trees indicates the approach of better days.

Chris Holmes began his opening of spring garments today and it will extend through Friday and Saturday. Every lady is anxious to learn all about the spring styles. Chris has them all.

Ladies, ladies you can settle this voting contest in your own way if you save your votes and vote for your most popular gentlemen friends. Any man worthy of such a prize is surely popular with the ladies.

LATEST

5 O'CLOCK.

SEEN THROUGH ENGLISH EYES

ENEMIES OF COTTON MILL OPERATIVES AND THEIR WORK.

Extracts From an English Textile Publication in Comparison of Trades and the Rate of Wages Paid to Those Working at Them.

In no other branch of industry, says the Manchester, Eng., Cotton Factory Times, do we find that the wage earners have as many inveterate enemies as the cotton operatives have, and particularly those employed in the mule department. Why this should be so we cannot tell, unless it be on account of the mill hands always standing up for a fair wage, and when necessary striking work to procure such wage as they think themselves entitled to for the labor they perform. On this subject they have always been strong and determined, and have made such progress as to bring themselves in the front ranks of wage-earning classes. They have even surpassed workers in other trades, and thus created a jealous feeling in the minds of those who have lost ground in the industrial race of social position.

Mule spinners have, perhaps, paid more attention to the advantage to be derived from trades unionism than workers have in other industries, and this circumstance has greatly assisted them in their efforts to improve their labor conditions in face of the opposing influences which have been working against them during the last 20 years. They have been willing to pay high rates of contributions and levies, and be satisfied with moderate benefits, knowing well the advantage gained thereby in the higher wages drawn at the pay day. It is this system which enables them to create large reserve funds, to be used in times of emergency. The policy always acted upon by them is to pay high contributions to their trade union, instead of leaving the money in the mill offices in the shape of wage reductions, which would be the case with low contributions and unreasonably high benefits, such as would not allow of the creation of reserve funds. If the mule spinners have been able to work themselves into a favorable position by means of combination conducted on sound principles, they ought to be congratulated on the result of their foresight and judgment in acting as they have done, but whatever may be thought of them by outsiders is no concern to the men, as they will soon go their way, and take that action which seems to them requisite in accordance with the surroundings for the time being.

One reason why there are so many enemies to cotton operatives whenever the wages question comes to the front is because there are thousands of individuals who have become interested in the cotton spinning trade in the shape of shareholders in the limited companies, and as dividends do not turn up as often as desired in the bulk of the companies, dissatisfaction is the result. Therefore, the grumblers are ready to lend themselves to any movement which they think will bring them relief, and as cutting down wages is one of these methods which they are always in favor of, we find them urging forward the agitation, and that by language of an extravagant nature.

TWO IMPORTANT BILLS.

Receive Hearings Before the Judiciary Committee at the State House.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, March 28.—At the state house, today, Rep. Gallavan appeared in favor of a bill to make the officers in charge of police stations, bail commissioners. Rep. Teamoh spoke in favor of the bill imposing a fine on any theatre manager or hotel proprietor who discriminates against colored persons.

MALT HOUSE FELL.

Employes Escaped But Passersby May Have Been Crushed Under the Debris.

By Associated Press To THE SUN.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 18.—The five-story malt house of the Wayne Brewery on 36th street collapsed this morning from the weight of grain in the upper stories.

All the employes escaped but it is feared pedestrians were caught in the ruins, and search is being made for bodies.

THE MINT SHORTAGE.

Bar of Base Metal May Have Replaced the Bar of Bullion.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

CARSON CITY, Nev., March 28.—The Tribune today states that a bar of base metal was substituted for the bar of gold missing from the mint. Arrests are expected.

N. E. Society's President.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

BOSTON, March 28.—At a meeting of the N. E. Agricultural society council today Francis H. Appleton of Peabody was elected president to succeed the late Daniel Needham of Groton. It was voted to hold the next fair at Portland.

Will Tug No More.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NEW YORK, March 28.—The tug boat Mary A. Parker sunk off Red Hook, this morning. Her crew, save one deck hand, were saved.

Whiskers Are Being Blown.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NEW YORK, March 28.—The wind is blowing 65 miles an hour, the highest rate since 1876 when the velocity was seven miles greater.

Ready For a Strike.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

GHENT, Belgium, March 28—At a meeting of socialists it was decided to inaugurate a general strike whenever the council at Brussells should give the word.

Casino Girls Will Stay.

The Bijou theatre announces a full week's engagement of the Casino Girls' company in their great musical bill and the merry farce "A Jolly Divorce."

Willis Farrington Played Tennis.

At St. Augustine, Fla., yesterday, Willis Farrington played in a lawn tennis tournament, in the first round defeating his opponent 6-1, 6-2.

PRES. LAPIERRE HAS LEFT

OBJECTED TO SOCIETY ST. JOSEPH MEDDLING WITH LICENSES.

Gave Up the Chair After the Meeting Had Disregarded His Remarks Which Were Opposed to Meddling in Politics.

The society St. Joseph composed entirely of French residents had an exciting meeting at which 'tis said the question of granting license in Little Canada was the cause of the trouble.

It is said that a motion was made that the society use its influence against the granting of liquor licenses in Little Canada.

President Lapierre spoke on the matter and said that such a matter was beyond the premise of the society which was a benevolent one and not interested in politics or licenses.

The motion was put, however, and Pres. Lapierre's remarks were disregarded, for the motion was carried almost unanimously.

Then, it is said, Mr. Lapierre left the chair and the meeting, saying: "I resign from the presidency and the society."

INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS.

Circular Call for the Conference of Textile Workers in Ghent.

A circular has been received here relating to the holidng of the international congress of textile workers this year at Ghent from Aug. 4 to Aug. 10. Attention is called to the resolutions adopted at the last convention. Among them were the following: "This international textile congress, meeting in Manchester, in the Memorial hall, July 26, 1894, invites the governments of America and Europe to fix the maximum daily hours of labor at eight hours, or 48 hours per week, for adults and children of both sexes. The congress further invites the workers of all countries to bring pressure to bear on our respective parliaments, and by all legal possible means, notably by the election of labor candidates to the different legislative bodies, obtain an eight hour law.

"This congress considers that the method of advancing the wages and the general condition of the workers is to get practically the workers organized in trade unions with good reserve funds in hand, so as to be able to secure good advances of wages when opportunities occur, and to resist all reductions of wages; and, further, as supplementary of this to take such action as may be warranted by circumstances to secure for labor adequate representation in our governing bodies. This congress also protests against the laws of those countries where trades unions are forbidden to take political action, and invites the governments of those countries to abolish laws restricting freedom and that drive working men to adopt illegal means to attain their object."

MENTIONED NAMES.

Alleged Unfair Methods Exposed by a Member of the Bay State Legislature.

BOSTON, March 26.—The legislature for a second time has put itself on record as against the bill to compel railroad corporations to offer a uniform passenger rate of 2 cents a mile. Representative Gallivan raised a breeze in the house by alleging that two agents of the Bay State Gas company had by "unjust and unheard of methods" secured the passage of the bill permitting that corporation laying its pipes across Fort Point channel.

Representative Gallivan said: "I here and now charge Albert C. Burrage counsel for the Brookline Gas Light company, and registered legislative counsel for that corporation, and Walter J. D. Bullock of Fall River, another lobbyist of the Brookline company, with having used unfair, unjust and peculiar methods to secure the passage of this legislation."

Mr. Gallivan further said: "I most emphatically question the right of Albert C. Burrage, who is a subway commissioner, drawing $5000 a year from the city of Boston, to haunt the corridors and smoking rooms of this state house, prostituting his high public office, in his endeavors to influence the members of this legislature in behalf of the corporation which he represents."

The house negatived his motion to reconsider its vote on the bill.

The bill to amend the charter of the city of Lowell was passed to be engrossed. The house engrossed the bill to provide that tenement houses in the city of Boston shall have adequate open space at the rear to admit the sunlight and the air. The committee on cities reported a bill to revise the charter of the city of Lawrence. The bill giving the referendum to cities was reported to the next general court. Leave to withdraw was reported on the bill authorizing the payment of a gratuity to prisoners in state prison. An adverse report was received on the bill allowing the sale of oleomargarine or butterine in the original package, provided it is plainly labeled. A resolve was introduced asking the governor to request the president to investigate the treatment accorded American citizens in Turkey.

An Enormous Venture.

NEW YORK, March 28.—The culmination of protracted negotiations involving financial interests of great magnitude was signalized yesterday by the filing in New Jersey of incorporation articles of the Hudson River Navigation company. Prominent capitalists largely identified with Vanderbilt interests will secure control of passenger and freight traffic of the Hudson river between New York and tidewater at Albany and Troy.

Brutal Football Playing.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—The coroner's jury returned a verdict that George D. Bohen of the Georgetown university football team, who died from injuries received in a game with the Columbia Athletic club, came to his death from foul play, for which it was unable to fix the responsibility. The testimony was that the playing was most brutal.

Easy Way Out of It.

PITTSBURG, March 28.—The probabilities are now that the railroad miners will, as a body, refuse the offer of Pittsburg operators of 69 cents, but as individuals will go to work. The operators claim, and many of the miners believe, that they cannot afford to pay 69 cents a ton.

Southern Railroad Combine.

ATLANTA, March 28.—The meeting here to organize the new Southern States Passenger association to succeed the old Southern Passenger association obtained a sufficient number of signatures of railroads for membership to declare its existence.

Charged With Arson.

HARTFORD, March 28.—Dr. Malcolm R. Griswold, a dentist, was arrested yesterday for arson, on two counts, and for defrauding several insurance companies.

THE SUN EXTRA

6 O'CLOCK

CLEVELAND BELIEVES IN IT

INCOME TAX BEING JUST SHOULD BE POPULAR.

He Makes This Observation to Explain His Change of Mind—A Just and Wise Measure of Taxation.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.—"I was at one time opposed to the income tax, but I now believe it to be a just and wise measure of taxation."

President Cleveland made this observation yesterday in conversation with A. S. New, collector of internal revenue for Wyoming and Colorado, who is here urging the claims of A. V. Quinn of Phoenix, Ari., for the governorship of that territory.

Mr. New had an interview with the president, in which he told Mr. Cleveland throughout his district the income tax was a popular measure and would receive strong support.

In reply Mr. Cleveland made the above remark.

SENSATION IN COURT.

Man Accused of Robbery Shoots the Woman Who Accused Him.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

HELENA, Mont., March 25.—Without warning, Eugene Stanley shot and fatally wounded Ida Wood, during the progress of a trial, yesterday. She was accused of having robbed him of $140.

There was a stampede when the first shot was fired. Luckily no one was hurt in the wild rush for the door.

A STATE COUNCIL.

Daughters of Liberty of the State Come Together in Odd Fellows Temple.

The state council of Daughters of Liberty was organized in Odd Fellows Temple today, by delegates from 18 councils. The following officers were chosen: Junior ex-chancellor, Mrs. A. J. Warren, Stoneham; junior associate ex-chancellor, Mrs. Mary E. Morse, Marlboro; national state councillor, Stillman R. Stevens, Marlboro; associate councillor, Mrs. Mary A. Lowell; associate vice councillor, Emily A. Davis, Marlboro; associate secretary, Mrs. James Bennett, Hudson; state treasurer, S. K. Kerwin, Salem; associate treasurer, Mrs. K. R. Kingsley, Lowell; guide, Mrs. M. F. Barnes, Worcester; inside guard, Mrs. Mattie White, Westboro; outside guide, Mrs. Lena Palmer, Haverhill.

The Deadly Kerosene Oil.

By Associated Press to THE SUN.

NASHUA, March 28.—Mrs. Porter, aged 60, a housekeeper at Littleton, was burned to death today while l gh ing a fire wit kerosene oil.

DEATHS.

BARNARD—Mrs. Elizabeth R. Barnard, aged 73 years, widow of Charles Barnard, a former resident of this city, died Tuesday at the residence of her son-in-law, A. W. Hutchins, in Malden. She leaves four children, W. F. Barnard, Mrs. Mary E. Morse and Ida F. Barnard of Malden, Charles E. Barnard of Los Angeles, Cal.

HOLDEN—Frederick A. Holden, aged 82 years, 8 months, died yesterday noon at his home, 46 Race street, after an illness of two days. He was probably the oldest native born resident of this city, having been born in a house which stood where the Ayer residence on Pawtucket street is now located. He was employed by the Locks & Canals company for nearly 45 years. The only society of which he was a member was the Old Residents' association. He leaves a widow, a few months his senior, a son, Horace G. Holden of Nashua, N. H., and two daughters, Mrs. Henry H. Fletcher of this city and Mrs. Charles H. Patterson of New York city.

PAIGE—Victor S. Paige, aged 40 years, died this morning at 33 Chelmsford street. Deceased was a well known store keeper on Middlesex street, and was a member of Wamesit lodge, M. U. O. F.

KENNEDY — Mary Kennedy, aged 65 years, died last evening at her home, 22 Brown street. The funeral will occur tomorrow morning from the Immaculate Conception church.

Florist McManmon of 3 Prescott street besides regular orders for floral tributes is preparing for Easter trade.

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An Assault on a Peddler in Which the "Heavenly Twins," so Called Figured—Case of Alleged Feeding of Swill to Horses, Continued.

Two drunks were released.

Thomas Martin pleaded not guilty of drunkenness and two witnesses testified that he broke into a house in Fredericks court on Front street and fell on the floor. When discovered he made his escape. Martin couldn't remember anything about it. He was sent to the workhouse for five months and appealed.

The "Heavenly Twins," known to every printer in town, were in for drunkenness. One didn't think he was drunk although he had been drinking. Both pleaded not guilty to the charge of assault and battery upon Abraham Grognec, a little bit of a man of Hebrew extraction, who said he was a "rags peddler." Grognec told a story, the greater part of which was unintelligible. "The little one hold me and the big one hit me one, two, three time on the eye." Finally the witness became so excited that he could do nothing but gesticulate, and Reporter Sternberg, who is a linguist, went to the rescue and interpreted his story.

He was going down Westford street when one of the men grabbed him and said "You're one of the people who killed Christ." Then the other struck him. They followed him afterwards and one blacked his eye while the other struck him in the arm. Two other witnesses testified that both men struck Grognec, and that one had a rock in his hand. Both defendants claimed that Grognec started the trouble. One was sent to the Massachusetts reformatory while the other, Cornelius Sullivan, who has never been in before was fined $20 to be paid in five days or three months in jail.

The case of Johanna Cummings was continued until tomorrow. She is the woman arrested by Agent Drury for alleged feeding of swill to horses.

John Simpson and Miss Hussey, "lovers once but strangers now," as Laura Jean Libbey would say, have patched up matters for Simpson has returned the ring and photo mentioned in last night's SUN. When John pays the costs, $2.35, everything will have been forgiven between the law and himself and eventually forgotten.

Hugh Wiley was sent to jail for four months on a charge of larceny.

Malachi Kilday, who was in for larceny of a coat proved to the court's satisfaction that he didn't steal it and was allowed to go free.

ABOUT LOWELL PEOPLE.

Very Rev. Fr. J. M. Guillard, O. M. I., is on a visit to Canada.

Rev. Charles H. Murkland, a Lowell boy, president of the N. H. State Agricultural college will be one of the speakers at the board of trade banquet which will be held next Wednesday evening.

Miss Halstead and Miss Carrie Halstead of Bartlett street entertained at whist last evening, four tables being in play. The honors fell to Mr. Harry E. Shaw and Miss Gertrude Burns and Mr. C. T. Cahill and Miss Long. There was also a consolation to Mr. Harry Bailey.

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ARE WE to have state coercion in purely local matters?

LOWELL IS having a big run of excellent shows. The best is not too good for us.

THE BEVERLY TIMES keeps on shouting "Push Beverly." Evidently Beverly must be a good thing.

WATCH THE business centre. We are told it will follow the post office. If so, it must be on the move.

QUEEN VICTORIA has just signed a bill to give the suffrage to women on an equality with men in Australia. Next?

NASHUA HAS suffered in the failure of one of its banks. Lowell has been exceedingly fortunate in escaping such misfortunes.

THE HOUSE of representatives voted to pass the redistricting bill or in other words to curtail Lowell's right to local self-government.

MR CONROY has been apprehended and will have to answer for his cowardly assault. Nobody guilty of such an assault deserves any sympathy.

TRILBY CAME and will go like "Annie Rooney," or any of the popular songs that are hummed for a while everywhere and then ostracized never to be resurrected.

MEN WHO have seen some of the leading tragedians in Richelieu think that with a few finishing touches Haworth's Richelieu would equal that of any of his more recent predecessors on the stage.

REP. HATES expects to be made a senator as a reward for his gerrymandering bill. The people whom he is trying to rob of their rights by state legislation will see to it that he shall be triumphantly defeated.

IT IS all nonsense to say that the south common is converted into a veritable dump on account of the snow piled there during the winter. There is a thin covering of clay or mud but it has been pulverized by the frost and is not offensive.

THE GERMAN REICHSTAG must be a degenerate body to dread the mere congratulation of an ex-minister on his 80th birthday. Bismarck towers above the men who cast upon him such an indignity. He is not lowered in the estimation of his country by such an act. The British parliament would not refuse its respectful courtesy to Mr. Gladstone.

THE NEW BEDFORD weavers condemn Chief Wade for preventing the legislature from increasing the number of state inspectors. He says he has a sufficient force to enforce the laws, but the New Bedford weavers in common with those in other factory cities gainsay this statement. The chief has "a pull," however, and his recommendation is accepted as reliable.

THE MAIL is moderating its partisan tone and in regard to settling the common council muddle, suggests that the contest over the presidency might be settled by drawing lots as the tenure of office is settled by the overseers of the poor. The Mail also talks of a compromise, but fails to state on what basis it might be effected. The democrats are now as formerly, ready to meet the republicans fairly upon any reasonable proposition. They are not the obstructionists.

A POLICY OF CONSISTENCY.

The Colored National League of Boston justly denounces the discrimination against Representative Temoah in the south on account of his color. It also condemns Mr. Temoah himself and the committee of which he is a member for tamely submitting to such discrimination. The affair will result in the election of another colored representative to take Mr. Temoah's place and in a more vigorous insistence upon due recognition of colored officials wherever they go. Governor Greenhalge takes advantage of the incident to emphasize the determination of Massachusetts to see the colored citizens fairly treated in all respects. While His Excellency is so solicitous for the fair treatment of colored citizens it is to be hoped he will not allow a wrong or an injustice to be inflicted upon the white residents of his own city. Can a governor who is so generous towards the colored citizens be injust to his fellow citizens of Lowell?

We are inclined to think not, and if not he will veto the Lowell redistricting and charter amendment bill now before the legislature. Should he fail to veto it, he will, to use a vulgar expression, "swallow his head" by failing to carry out the policy of applying the referendum in local matters. Governor Greenhalge has always been consistent and we do not believe he will now adopt a different course at the dictation of an extremely partisan element in the legislature.

If Holyoke does not want its license commission metamorphosed into a police commission, that ought to be final. The legislature does not exist for the purpose of prescribing the details of city and town governments.—Lawrence American.

THE SUN endorses this statement and holds that Lowell should not be prevented prescribing the details of its own government by any act of the legislature. The present legislature does not scruple any such trifle as coercing a city.

MISS ANNA DICKINSON sues for damages for imprisonment for five months in an insane aslyum. It will be difficult for a perfectly sane woman to prove that she was sane years ago. If she proves a conspiracy to incarcerate her she should get damages.

THE DETERMINATION of the Lawrence city council to pay the laborers $2 a day is meeting considerable opposition. The question to be decided is, are the laborers worth that amount.

FROM PRESENT indications no new law will be necessary to compel Lowell ladies to remove high headgear at theatres. They do so without legal compulsion.

THE LICENSE commission is being closely watched nowadays, although there is nothing suspicious in its actions.

A PRIZE.

He Knew What He Was Talking About, After All.

No one would have suspected, to look at the hale and hearty face and stout, well built form of the young man who stood so earnestly gazing down into the eyes of the beautiful girl from whom he had so long been parted, that a few short months before he had lain sick unto death in a small village in the heart of India. Yet such was the case.

"Yes, dear," he was saying as he took both her hands in his own. "I hardly dare tell you what a close call for my life I had, but now that it is over I can look back upon it with calmness. Yet, in telling you of it," he continued, his face blushing slightly and the strange light of an unnatural excitement gleaming in his eyes, "I must speak of a matter which I think you, of all others, should know. Had it not been for a young English girl who was there at the time, I might never be here to tell this tale. She learned that I had the jungle fever, and for weeks she hovered over my bedside, never leaving me, night or day. In my feverod tossing and in the wild delirium of the night, I was yet dimly conscious of this angel form that bent over me and administered to my burning lips the cooling draft or bathed my hot forehead, and when at last she nursed me back to life I was enabled, thank heaven, to repay her in a measure for this great service. Unfriended and alone in all the world, she naturally turned to me for counsel, and at length I prevailed upon her to follow my advice. My darling, I have brought her back with me."

As he uttered these words the face of his fiancee turned deadly pale, and, uttering a hoarse exclamation of surprise, she drew herself up to her full height. "And so, sir," she exclaimed, "this is the way you repay my devotion! A pretty girl turns your head, and you have the audacity to travel with her from a far land and coolly face me with this calm statement. Why, sir, may I ask, have you dared to bring her with you?"

"Because, my darling," he said softly as he drew from his pocket the lease for a seven room flat in Harlem and gazed searchingly at its contents, "she says she will do our general housework for only $12 a month."—New York World.

Had to Know Him.

A now distinguished jurist, says an exchange, migrated to a western town; months of idleness, with no prospect of improvement, induced him to seek a new home. Without money to pay his fare, he boarded a train for Nashville, intending to seek employment as reporter on one of the daily newspapers. When the conductor called for his ticket, he said: "I am on the staff of The —— of Nashville. I suppose you will pass me?" The conductor looked at him sharply. "The editor of that paper is in the smoker. Come with me. If he identifies you, all right." He followed the conductor into the smoker; the situation was explained. Mr. Editor said: "Oh, yes, I recognize him as one of the staff. It is all right." Before leaving the train the lawyer again sought the editor: "Why did you say you recognized me? I'm not on your paper." "I am not the editor, either. I'm traveling on his pass and was scared to death lest you should give me away."

First Fashionable Fans.

Fans came from the east during the crusades, being brought back by returning knights as presents for their friends. A French nobleman brought the first ostrich fan to Paris about 1100.

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Lane—No, old man. But I feel as though I know him from what I have heard you say.—New York World.

A Sure Cure.

Two married ladies were talking about their respective and respected lords.

"Does your husband forgot things?" asked one.

"Never," said the other.

"Well, mine does. I think there is hardly a day when he comes home from his office that he doesn't begin to apologize for his forgetfulness. Of course I have to accept the apology on his promise to do better, and the next day the very same thing occurs."

"That must be extremely annoying."

"It is. Sometimes I get so vexed with him that I really have to scold him."

"And that never is pleasant."

"I should say not. I'm sure I'd rather be anything else than a scold, but some husbands actually drive their wives to it. I've been married ten years, and sometimes I almost fear if he doesn't improve he will have my temper utterly spoiled."

"I've been married a dozen years, and I never have any such trouble."

"Maybe your husband is an exception?"

"No, he's only average as married men go."

"Wasn't he ever forgetful?"

"He was at first, but I cured him of it."

"Gracious, I thought it was incurable!"

"Oh, no. You can cure him easily if you will use my remedy."

"I'm sure I'll only be too glad to. What is it?"

"Never ask him to get anything for you. Get it yourself. He has enough to think about without being errand boy."

"Oh!" exclaimed the first woman and remained silent for as much as two minutes.—Detroit Free Press.

Rare Coin.

X., a poor Parisian Bohemian who lives from hand to mouth, but manages to keep up a somewhat distinguished appearance, was looking earnestly in a public place at a 5 franc piece of which, by some extraordinary piece of luck, he had become possessed.

A gentleman at once stepped up to him and addressed him politely.

"Pardon me, sir," said the stranger, "but I am a collector of coins, and your movement suggests that possibly you have a rare one."

"I have, sir," said X.

"Will you let me look at it?"

"With pleasure."

The stranger inspected with astonishment X.'s 5 franc piece.

"But pray, sir," he asked, "do you consider this a rare coin?"

"Certainly," answered X. "With me all coins are rare."—Youth's Companion.

Overjoyed.

Nodd—I never was so happy in my life. My wife just got home from a long visit to her relatives.

Todd—Glad to see her, eh?

Nodd—Not that, but she didn't bring any of them back with her.—Brooklyn Life.

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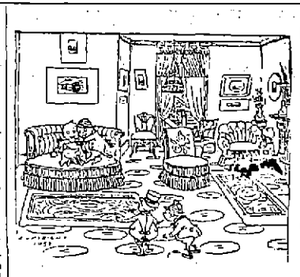

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50	dozen " " "	15c.	"	"	20c "
37	" " " "	25c.	"	"	30c "
100	" Gent's	10c.	"	regular	12c "
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97	" " Black	10c.	"	"	15c "

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GREAT BRITAIN

Explains Her Attitude in Nicaraguan Affair.

NO INTENTION TO REFLECT ON UNITED STATES.

The Terms Were Misunderstood by Our Diplomats.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—It is claimed by those who are in a position to be well informed as to the intentions of the British foreign office, and also as to representations which our government has made to Great Britain through Minister Bayard in regard to the British ultimatum to Nicaragua, that there is a misconception of the text of that document.

The seven words in the ultimatum to which President Cleveland and his cabinet have attached so much importance, as, in a measure, sweeping away the cordial confidence which has marked all the recent diplomatic transactions of the United States with the British foreign office in regard to jurisdiction over the Mosquito strip, were those which provided that the third member of the arbitration commission should be "not a citizen of any American republic." This phrase was thought to be an explicit declaration by England that she declined to recognize any force in the Monroe doctrine and to be a gratuitous

Reflection Upon the United States.

The intention to cast any reflection upon the United States was promptly disavowed by Lord Kimberly, through one of his under secretaries, and it is now stated that the meaning of the unfortunate sentence used and the intentions of the British government have been misconstrued.

As ordinarily employed and understood by the British foreign office, the phrase "American republic" is limited in application to the smaller republics of Central and South America. It was these republics that Great Britain desired to exclude from having the casting vote between the Nicaraguan representative and the commissioner chosen by Great Britain.

While technically and literally the United States forms one of the "American republics," it is explained that the English foreign office never classifies this great government and people with the Spanish and Portuguese speaking South and Central American governments.

Consequently it is asserted that the words "not a citizen of any American republic" do not bar out the United States, according to the view of the British foreign office.

Viewed in this light, a clearer understanding is given to the denial on the part of Great Britain that any reflection was intended upon the United States in the proposition above referred to.

Forced Into Submission.

PROVIDENCE, March 28.—All danger of a strike in textile industries of Rhode Island is over for the present, owing to a remarkable move on the part of the Rhode Island Manufacturers' club. Operatives in every mill yesterday found a notice posted stating that the manufacturers would close their factories April 8 for an indefinite period or until the operatives were ready to accept the existing terms, unless they ceased their threatening talk. The notices caused a sensation, and the union officials decided to declare the strike off at the Weybossett mills Nos. 1 and 2. The dressers' tenders then went back. The strike at the Manton mill was also declared off, and Proprietor Kimball's offer was accepted.

Death of Langdon S. Ward.

NEWTON, March 28.—Langdon S. Ward, during 30 years the treasurer of the American Board of Commissioners of Foreign Missions, died at his home here last night. He was 66 years of age, and had been connected with the American board 40 years. He was a native of Boston and was educated in the public schools there. Mr. Ward was thoroughly business-like in his methods and was regarded as one of the most efficient of the officers of the American board.

Women to the Rescue.

LYNN, March 28.—By the will of the late Mary Shute the city of Lynn was bequeathed about $100,000 for a new public library building. With its existing indebtedness the city could not legally raise $20,000, the estimated cost of a lot. The foremost women of the city have signified their intention of raising the necessary amount to purchase the lot by public entertainments and private subscription.

An Actor's Deed.

NEW YORK, March 28.—At 13 West Twenty-fourth street yesterday Amy Thill, an actress, was killed by a bullet wound in her head inflicted by Jack Bigelow, an actor. A bullet in the head had also killed him. By his side lay a pistol. The man killed the woman and then himself.

Portland Man Missing.

PORTLAND, March 28.—James Kincard of South Portland mysteriously disappeared a week ago. He was in Boston when last seen. His mother and sister started for Boston yesterday to join in the search for him.

Set Himself Afire.

PAWTUCKET, March 28.—Edward W. Wilkinson, aged 68, was terribly burned yesterday. In lighting a match he set his clothes afire and was too feeble to quench the flames. He will probably die.

Veteran Mathematician Dead.

ITHACA, N. Y., March 28.—James E. Oliver, professor of mathematics in Cornell university, died yesterday from the effects of grip. Professor Oliver had been connected with Cornell since 1871.

Well Known In Society Circles.

PROVIDENCE, March 28. — Elisha S. Arnold, president of the Cranston town council, and one of the leading Masons and Odd Fellows in Rhode Island, died yesterday, aged 63.

Back to Ireland.

OTTAWA, March 28.—There is a well-authenticated rumor to the effect that Lord Aberdeen has been recalled to take the lord lieutenancy of Ireland in place of Lord Houghton.

Gun Manufacturers to Compete.

NEWPORT, March 28.—The following arms will be submitted for tests upon the reconvening of the small arms board, orders for which are expected daily: Livermore, two guns: Lee of Hartford, one; Remington Arms company, one; C. W. Pratt of Fall River, one; Putnam of New York, one; Putnam of San Francisco, one; C. Mills of Aurora, Ills., one.

Tell your friends to save their coupons and vote for their favorite. The early votes are usually wasted when they could easily win the contest. Don't throw a vote away.

WHITES VS. BLACKS.

Row In a South Carolina Town May Lead to Serious Disturbances.

BATH, S. C., March 28.—Trouble has arisen between whites and blacks at the site of the new mill of the Aiken Manufacturing company. A party of white men began firing on the negroes assembled to do the work on the mill building. The negroes were notified by the white men to leave town in 15 minutes. They refused to obey the order, and the shooting commenced.

It seems that the shots were fired into the air, and were intended to frighten and not to kill. The object was, of course, to run the negroes off and give the whites a chance to do the work. It is said that one negro was struck in the leg. The negroes fled to the swamps, where they remained all night. They returned to town and are at work. All is quiet for the present, but further trouble is looked for.

Last Heard From In Boston.

HALIFAX, March 28.—William Gibson, son of the city tax collector, is missing. Some weeks ago Gibson received word from his son, who was in Boston, stating that he was coming home. It is known that he purchased his ticket and placed his luggage on board the steamer Yarmouth at Boston, but that he failed to board the steamer itself. Gibson had a large sum of money on his person, which gives rise to the theory he has met with foul play. He is 25 years old.

Fighting the Lottery.

WASHINGTON, March 28. — All mails hereafter addressed to F. J. Demarest, Puerto Cortez, Honduras, or care of the Central American express, Port Tampa City, Fla., will be stopped by the government. Demarest is the president of the Honduras Lottery company.

Ordered to Peru.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Orders have been sent to Mare island to have the United States coast defense ship Monterey proceed to Peru. It has been felt desirable to have a United States warship at Callao to look after American interests in case they are endangered.

Cordage Trust Difficulties.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Mr. Whitehead, of the law firm of Martin & Smith, has applied for the appointment of a receiver for the National Cordage syndicate on behalf of Eliza A. Wall, a partner in the firm of William Wall's Sons, manufacturers of cordage.

Cashier Charged With Theft.

CHICAGO, March 28.—W. Irving Carpenter, assistant cashier of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad at the Englewood station, is charged with the embezzlement of over $1600 of the company's money.

Died of Blood Poisoning.

CHICAGO, March 28.—Morris St. P. Thomas, one of the best known members of the Chicago bar, is dying, the result of blood poisoning. His sickness was brought about by a slight cut on the hand by glass.

Seven Millions Involved.

BUTTE, Mon., March 28.—The Davis will contest, involving about $7,000,000, ended yesterday by mutual agreement between the heirs. The will was admitted to probate and a decree of distribution entered.

Laurier Is Sick.

MONTREAL, March 28.—Wilfred Laurier, leader of the Opposition, left yesterday for his home. He will have to undergo an operation shortly on the right side of his face for a neuralgic affection.

As Expected.

BROOKLYN, March 28.—President Norton and Superintendent Quinn of the Atlantic Avenue Railroad company, who were charged with violating the 10-hour law, were acquitted.

Verdict For the Plaintiff.

SPRINGFIELD, March 28.—A verdict of $7500 was rendered against the Connecticut River railroad in the suit of George Bronillette for damages for injuries received.

Appealed Their Cases.

BARNSTABLE, Mass., March 28.—Charles H. Meiggs and Chester Baxter were fined $100 each for the alleged illegal killing of deer. Both men appealed.

Able to Go Out.

BRISTOL, R. I., March 28.—Nat Herreshoff visited the south shop of the syndicate's works yesterday for the first time in a month.

P. R. R. Officials Organize.

PHILADELPHIA, March 28.—The newly elected board of directors of the Pennsylvania railroad reorganized yesterday. President Roberts was unanimously re-elected.

Cincinnati Bank Assigns.

CINCINNATI, March 28.—The Commercial bank yesterday assigned to W. H. Campbell, its cashier. Cashier Campbell stated that the bank had temporarily suspended payment, and would be all right in a few days. The Commercial bank was founded in 1831. A number of old-time solid financiers have been identified with the institution.

Rank Lawlessness.

WINSTON, N. C., March 28.—A crowd went to the home of a farmer near here and shot him through the thigh. The home of the farmer's son was torn down completely. They then burned an unoccupied house belonging to another son. The father and two sons were witnesses in a case against a moonshiner.

Two Robbers' Big Job.

LITTLE ROCK, March 28.—A train on the Iron Mountain was held up by robbers last night near Williamsville by two men, who robbed the express car. The conductor lost his watch and money, and it is supposed the passengers were also robbed, but details of the holdup are lacking.

Sunken Propeller Raised.

NEW LONDON, March 28.—The propeller Metropolitan, which was sunk in collision with the tug T. A. Scott, was raised yesterday and towed to Noank for repairs. An investigation will be held to locate the blame.

Fleming's Offer.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Matchmaker Fleming of the National Sporting club of London announces that Dick Burge agrees to fight Tommy Ryan in London on Nov. 25, at 140 or 142 pounds weight, for $5000 a side.

Springfield Merchants at a Banquet.

SPRINGFIELD, March 28. — The fifth annual banquet of the board of trade passed off very successfully last evening. General Francis A. Walker of Boston addressed the meeting on "Bi-Metallism."

Four Years For Perjury.

BOSTON, March 28.—Lawrence A. Jacobs was sentenced yesterday to four years in the state prison for perjury. Jacobs was charged with willfully swearing falsely as to the value of his property.

Right in Spring Fashion.

All or nearly all the young people who have been playing whist and dancing together this winter are exchanging photos. Freeman, in post office block, is doing the work. His pictures are gems for posing and finish.

HINTS FOR PHOTOGRAPHERS

HOW TO CLEAN LENSES AFTER USE.

The Inside Workings of Photography Show it to be a Fine Art—Other Matters.

Mere dust can be removed with a camel's hair brush, there being nowhere found any opinions forbidding that. But in the changes of an ordinary climate a lens will get considerably blurred with filmy accumulations, even though it may never have been touched by the hand or brought in contact with grease in any form. A practical photographer once said that if a finger mark should come upon a lens which he valued very highly he would immediately return it to its European manufacturers. He would not dare to touch it himself.

Any one may venture upon taking an objective apart and cleaning it, provided he will only do it carefully.

In the first place "do not use either fine chamois skin, tissue paper or an old silk handkerchief, or any other such material as is usually advised." Use cheesecloth. It is not the wiping material, though, that is apt to do the mischief, but the fine dust particles, which may be silicious and become attached to the glass. This is the way to begin on the objective:

Take a wooden bowl, cleaned with soap and water, then half fill it with clean water of about the same temperature as the glass and put in a teaspoonful of ammonia in half a pail of water. First wash a piece of cheesecloth thoroughly with soap and water and rinse and clean. Then place it in the bowl or pail, so that the lens won't slip. Never use the same piece of cheesecloth twice.

Mr. Brashear says that when the lens has been dusted and placed in the water he prefers to rub it with the palms of his cleaned hands, although cheesecloth is good. There seems to be absolutely no danger of scratching it when plenty of water is used. When thoroughly washed, take the glass out, lay it on a bundle of cheesecloth, and use several pieces of the same, which have been previously washed clean and dried, and dry it. Don't let it drain dry. Take up all the moisture with the cloth. Vigorous rubbing will do no harm if the surfaces have no abrading material.

An objective can be cleaned without taking it out of its cell. First dust off the particles, then use the cheesecloth with soap and water. Go over the surface gently with one piece of cloth and throw it away and take another, then a third one. When the glass is clean, take a piece of dry cloth and dry it.

Of course photographic lenses can be cleaned in the same way.

How to Make Shoe Dressing at Home.

A soft dressing that is less injurious than the majority of polishes found in the market is made by mixing to a smooth paste vaseline or cosmoline and lampblack. Apply a very little with a flannel cloth and rub in thoroughly. The oil fills up the pores and renders the leather almost waterproof after using it several times. This dressing does not impart a high gloss to the leather, but merely softens and colors it. Where a polish is desired the liquid dressings are preferable.

How to Stuff Lobster Tails.

Cut in three-sixteenths of an inch squares a pound of lobster meat cooked in court bouillon. To prepare the court bouillon mince up 2 ounces of onions, 2 ounces of celery root, 2 ounces of carrots and put them into a saucepan with a branch of parsley, thyme and bay leaf; also a pint of water, some salt and a pint of white wine. Let boil for ten minutes. Add to these half the same quantity of cooked mushrooms, cut up the same size. Fry colorless in butter 2 tablespoonfuls of onions. Add 2 ounces of flour and fry without browning. Dilute with a pint of milk and cook again for a few minutes. Then add the lobster, mushrooms. Mix well. Boil up once, remove and cool off. Fill the half tail shells, well cleaned and dried, with this preparation. Dredge over bread crumbs, besprinkle with butter and brown them in a hot oven.

How to Use Lemons on the Hair.

A lemon cut in half, or, better still, in quarters, so that the pulp can easily be applied to the roots of the hair, will stop any ordinary case of falling out. It is an agreeable remedy. Besides being cool and pleasant to the skin, the scent, unlike that left by the petroleum cure, is distinctly refreshing, and it also has the merit of cheapness.

How to Make Oatmeal Bags.

Take 5 pounds of oatmeal, ground fine, a half pound of castile soap, reduced to powder, and a pound of powdered Italian orris root. Cut a yard of thin cheesecloth into bags about four inches square, sewing them on the machine and taking care not to leave any untied threads where a break may let the contents ooze out. Mix the soap, oatmeal and orris root thoroughly and fill the bags loosely. Sew up the opening in each and lay them away to be used as required. They are used as a sponge dipped in warm water, making a thick velvet lather and wonderfully softening the skin while the orris imparts a lasting fragrance.

How to Cure Mosquito Bites.

Apply spirits of hartshorn diluted with twice as much water or sal volatile or cologne. If the part is left puffy and swelled after the tingling has abated, rub it with soap liniment. A piece of raw onion is also most efficacious for bites and stings. The following is a cure and a deterrent: A paste made of the plant Pyrethrum roseum, mixed with spirits, diluted with twice as much water as spirits. This applied will cure the bite and prevent others, as the odor will keep away the mosquito.

Unfair Competition.

Customer—Fifty cents for filling this prescription? Why, at the drug store down the street they charge me only a quarter.

Druggist—That's all it's worth at that store, ma'am. They put about 4 cents' worth of drugs in the bottle and then fill it up with water. I put in the same drugs and fill the bottle with the finest aqua pura. Thanks. Anything else?—Chicago Tribune.

Beef Is Going Up.

CHICAGO, March 28.—Prices of all kinds of meats will be higher this summer than they have been for 10 years past. While the prime cause of the advance is the scarcity of choice beef cattle, all kinds of meats have gone up.

Greenhut Scoffs at Charges.

PEORIA, Ills., March 28. — President Greenhut of the Distilling and Cattle Feeding company is back in Peoria. He treated the charges against himself with contempt, saying they were unworthy of notice.

Prisoner's Sentence Deferred.

CAMBRIDGE, March 28.—The jury returned a verdict of guilty in the Martin manslaughter case. The prisoner was not sentenced, owing to exceptions taken to a portion of the evidence by his counsel.

Favorable Weather, but Small Cut.

BERLIN, N. H., March 28.—The past winter has been favorable for lumbering operations in this famous northern New Hampshire region, but the average cut will fall far below that of 1893.

Bissell and Wilson.

WASHINGTON, March 28. — Postmaster General Bissell will retire from office on April 4, when Mr. Wilson will formally take charge.

A Washington Failure.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Robert Leitch & Sons, brass founders, have made an assignment. Assets, $102,431; liabilities, $66,461.

Stanfield Assigns.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Douglas Maxwell Stanfield, proprietor of the Victoria hotel, Fifth avenue, has assigned.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

It is proposed to increase the Spanish army by 11,000 men.

The reichstag refused to kill the anti-revolution bill.

Count Boniface de Castellane and his bride are at Monte Carlo.

Cholera is reported amongst the Japanese troops at Port Arthur.

The Henry J. Spear Home for Aged Men at Providence was dedicated.

A first edition of Walton's "Complete Angler" sold for $1325 in New York.

Mrs. Julia Ireland, aged 87 years, mother of Archbishop Ireland, died at St. Paul.

The state of Nebraska will appropriate $200,000 for the relief of drought-stricken farmers.

Hawaii will endeavor to establish the right of deportations by a judicial decision in a foreign country.

Chandler B. Allen was arrested in Cambridge on the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

Rev. Wallace Nutting, D.D., pastor of the Union Congregational church of Providence, was installed.

The weavers in John Sutton's mill at North Andover, Mass., went out on strike, owing to a disagreement over prices.

Reverence For the Law.

By virtue of a superstitious though generally accepted tradition we are called upon to have "respect for the law," as if in itself law were some superhuman creation with rightful powers to defy intelligence or even to transform morality. And we are wearied with "frightening" utterances, repeated until they have become cant, about "the dignity of the law," "the majesty of the law," "the irrevocability of the law" and of the "permanent establishment of the law." Granted that we should "obey the law" while we permit it to remain a law, yet if it is not a respectable law, and by its exercise violates reason and morals, why should we be asked to respect the law? It has, in its abusive power, been vile to the extent of filthiness and cruel as the unconscious mercilessness of a ravening beast. Human laws have made it a crime for a loving husband to refuse to give up his wife or a father to consign his daughter to the demands of lecherous favorites of the law.

"The dignity of the law!" It has employed eavesdroppers, sent out its emissaries disguised and contemptibly pried into the silly and sacred secrets of those who have submitted themselves or have been assigned to its powers of persecution.

"The majesty of the law!" Consider the imposing grandeur of a law of human government which has made it a crime to teach the alphabet to a human being whom, because of his intellectual weakness, "the law" has made a slave; a law which commits a poor woman to prison for selling apples on the street, but gives over the highways to strong and wealthy corporations for their profitable use in the sale of transportation and the sale of merchandise at every stopping station on the highway.—E. Stillman Doubleday.

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For Lawrence, 8.30, 9.00, 10.50, a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 (11.25 Wednesdays and Saturdays only) p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Haverhill, 8.30, 9.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, (11.25 Wednesdays and Saturdays only) p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.20 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.25 p. m.

For Salem and Lynn, 12.05, 6.10 p. m.

For Newburyport and Amesbury, 12.05, 2.30, 4.10, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter, and Dover, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.25, 4.10, 6.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p.m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.10 p. m.

For Somersworth, N.H., Salmon Falls Saco and Portland 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 4.10, 6.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p.m.

For Augusta, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Bangor; Belfast, Waterville, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.05, 6.10 p.m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For St. John N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal, and Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays): SUNDAY, 5.35 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John's (per steamer), on Mondays and Fridays at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick and Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones at Rockland), Tuesdays and Fridays at 6.10 p. m.

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On and After Sept. 30, 1894, Trains Leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as Follows:—

For Boston—5.45, 6.30, ¶6.50, *7.45, *8.50, ¶9.00, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, ¶3.00, 4.30, ¶5.40, p. m. SUNDAYS, $45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston—5.48, 6.34, ¶6.53, §7.01, §7.18, §7.37, *7.48, *8.57, 9.03, *9.50, 11.03, 12.00 a. m., 1.43, ¶3.03, 4.02, 4.33, *5.21, ¶5.43, *6.28, §7.52 p. m. SUNDAYS, *7.18, 7.27, 8.03, *9.16 a. m.; §4.25, §6.03 p. m.

For Woburn, §7.01, 7.45, 11.00 a.m.; 1.40, 4.30, 8.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.40 a. m., §4.25, 6.03 p.m.

*Express. §Northern Depot only. ¶Via Bedford.

For Lawrence — 6.30, 10.00, 2.10, 4.15, 5.50 p. m.

For Salem and Way Stations—§7.38 a. m.; 1.25, 5.50 p. m.

☞Time below is from Middlesex street station.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.00 and 5.47 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—8.14 a. m.; 1.50, 3.43, 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene—9.14 a. m. and 3.43 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, Antrim, Bennington and Hillsboro', 2.00 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord 7.57 9.14 (Nashua only), 9.45, a.m.; 12.11, 1.50., 3.43., 5.42, 6.21, 8.13, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.09. a.m. (to Nashua only), 3 a.m., 2.00, 6.00 8.13, 8.43 p. m.

For Penacook, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, 5.42, §8.13 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—1.50 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a.m.; †8.43. p.m.

For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, †8.13 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—9.45 a. m.; †8.43 p. m.

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The gentleman receiving the highest number of votes on the above coupon clipped from THE DAILY SUN will be declared the winner.

Votes must be deposited at THE SUN office with the name and residence plainly marked thereon.

The top ballot only need be marked on a package of ballots (not over a thousand in a package) securely tied. The number claimed should also appear on the package and when found correct will be credited.

The polls will be open until nine o'clock on Saturday evening, June 1st, 1895. The winner will then have ample time to prepare for his voyage, and sail both ways during the most pleasant portion of the year.

Now then vote, vote early, vote often and vote for your friends.

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR THURSDAY, MARCH 28.

SUN RISES ..... 5 34 | MOON SETS ... 8 47 PM
SUN SETS ..... 6 07 | HIGH WATER ... 12 15 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..12 33 | FULL SEA ... 12 30 PM

Forecast for New England: Partly cloudy, light local showers in northern and western portions, but fair weather during the greater portion of the day; westerly winds, increasing in force; colder tonight in northern portions.

LOCAL NEWS.

Vote.

Vote early and often.

A. E. O'Heir & Co., auctioneers.

Miss Brie Bowler has joined the staff of the New London Day.

The overseers of the poor are aiding the needy with goods bought on trust.

It was reported to Post 185 last night that the recent bazaar netted $960.

In the case of Goldspring vs. Eames at high court the plaintiff won a verdict of $107.80.

There will be no more concerts on Saturday evenings at the People's club this season.

Frank Parke, a young painter employed at Hood's caught hold of a live wire, yesterday, and had a narrow escape from injury.

Now gentlemen of the local societies you have a golden opportunity to send one of your popular members on a free trip to Europe.

The will of J. N. Marshall has been presented for probate, and administrations asked for on estate of J. L. Rourke and Marie Roy.

The Milford, N. H., crack whist players ran up against the crack Highland team at the club house last night. Of course, the Highlands won, by 10 points.

B. K. & Co.'s Liquid Marine White, high gloss for parlors and reception rooms, gives a high gloss, dries hard, wears well. Coburn's, Market street, sole agents.

The Lowell Bicycle club elected these officers yesterday: President, T. P. Hall; secretary, Emil Hansen; treasurer, L. M. Foss. The sentiment is in favor of a $2 fee.

About 50 of Mr. John Stanley's friends surprised him at his home on D street, last evening. Mr. Rupert Brissett as their spokesman presenting him with a gold ring.

The Lowell & Suburban Street Railway company is experimenting with electricity for headlights on its cars. A very neat lamp is on one of the Broadway line. The word "Broadway" appears on a ground glass semi-circle above the light.

Many Men Are Missing.

Many elderly residents of Massachusetts cities and towns must be missing judging from the number of letters received by the police inquiring about the body identified as that of David Christie.

Contract For Lowell Man.

At the treasury department in Washington yesterday bids for constructing the approaches to the federal building in this city were opened and the contract awarded to Lewis B. Gumb for $4870.

Report on the Water Supply.

The water board's report, the 22d annual, is being distributed. Its illustrations are those of the new plant of the Hydraulic construction company in the driven well district, of a section of the pipe laying. The statistical portions of the report will be of interest to tax payers in general, and the report on meters to the householder in particular.

Bids on Hose and Pipe.

Postmaster Pearson, as custodian of the federal building, asked for bids for standpipe and hose for the use of the post office. The bids closed on Tuesday at noon, and were as follows: Callahan & Sanborn, $73.80; C. B. Coburn & Co., $113.85; Lowell Rubber Co., $197.50; same, another quality, $95; H. R. Barker Co., for "Rob Roy," $123; "Clark," $119; "Everett," $112; "Standard," $73. The specifications simply ask for "best" quality. The bids will be submitted to the department at Washington.

Lowell Cemetery Committees.

The trustees of the Lowell cemetery met yesterday afternoon, at the Middlesex Trust Co.'s rooms, corner of Merrimack and Palmer streets. President Wilder resigned his position of trustee and Larkin T. Trull, Esq., was elected to succeed him on the board.

The committees for the current year were announced as follows:

Finance—C. L. Hildreth, C. A. Stott, E. A. Smith, L. T. Trull.

Personal Property—Francis Jewett, W. H. Wiggin, L. R. J. Varnum, Albert Pinder.

Cemetery—J. L. Campbell, Z. E. Stone, D. M. Prescott, August Fels.

LOWELL'S CITY CHARTER.

Hot Discussion Over the Proposal to Amend it in the House Yesterday.

The Lowell charter bill was passed to be engrossed in the House yesterday.

When the bill to amend the city charter of Lowell came up for consideration, Mr. O'Connor of Lowell moved as an amendment to strike out section 5 of the bill, which provides that the acts of the convention, composed of the aldermen and councilmen, and to be called to carry out the provisions of the act, shall not be submitted to the mayor for approval or disapproval.

Mr. Roper of Lowell moved as an amendment that the convention referred to be called within five instead of 10 days after the passage of the bill.

Mr. Hayes of Lowell opposed the amendment of Mr. O'Connor, saying that it is absolutely necessary to take from the mayor the veto power in this instance. Mr. Roper's amendment was adopted, that of Mr. O'Connor rejected (28 to 76) and the bill passed to be engrossed.

SOME CRISP GOSSIP.

The engagement of "Hands Across the Sea" calls to mind the many pleasant times the Lowell newspaper men had with the original company, at the club room. Mr. Reeves who was then manager made $75,000 last season with the company and dropped it all out west where money was awfully scarce. He is now treasurer for the Prince Kam company. Mr. Hale who played Mr. Hickory of Chicago, and later Count Paul, is manager of Humanity and was here last week. Jack Furlong is one of the leading stage managers of the country. Harry Parsons, Mr. Pierson and his wife and Mr. Wolff are all with metropolitan companies, Mr. Wallis, who years ago played in the Lowell Museum is with Our Flat. Mr. Campbell is the present owner of the company coming here tonight.

What has become of the cry of hard times? The theatres are crowded this week. The Cadets made about $25,000, and the sale of German and French opera tickets is very large.—Journal.

The same may almost be said in Lowell, for the theatres are crowded every night and yet this is the Lenten season.

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Vote now.

If nervous, try Old Hundred cigar.

Wall paper at 18 Church street.

T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan bl'd.

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Falcon bicycle, good as money can buy, J. S. Byrne, St. James hotel, agent.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

E. G. Parker of 23 East Merrimack street will reduce his stock of coal regardless of cost. See ad.

A true, life-like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barristers' hall and have a sitting made.

The greatest remedy for a cough ever known is Dr. Phelan's Cough Syrup. A bottle costs 25 cents and is on sale at 239 Gorham street and all druggists.

George F. Stiles, deputy sheriff and messenger of the insolvent estate of Albert W. Derbyshire, will sell at public auction at the "Enterprise Cash Grocery store" on Prescott street, in Lowell, on Monday, April 1st, at 10 o'clock a. m. (and continuing until sold), all the stock of groceries and fixtures contained in said store; also, horses, wagons, harnesses, sleighs, etc., which will be sold at 10 o'clock a. m. on day of sale. Terms cash.

Cotton Mule Spinners' Union.

There will be a special meeting of the union Friday evening for the purpose of instructing the delegates to the convention.

Exceptions Come Up Tomorrow.

The exceptions raised by City Solicitor Hogan in the quo warranto proceedings against President Sullivan of the common council will be argued before the full bench to-morrow.

Violations of the Law.

Secretary Courtney of the overseers of the poor has called the board's attention to the fact that the law is violated in relation to the care of infants by certain persons who make a business of it.

Always the Best.

The grand spring opening of fine millinery at Johnson's, 326 Merrimack street, Associate building, will occur on Friday and Saturday of this week. The display of fine foreign and domestic millinery will by far exceed anything ever shown in Lowell, and will be as it has in the past, the best of the season.

All on Deck at "Dog Watch."

Farragut camp, Sons of Veterans, met last evening and received two applications for membership.

It was decided to take part in the Memorial day parade and a committee was appointed to assist the G.A.R. posts in making arrangements. A "dog watch" campfire will be heard next Wednesday.

Two Remembrances in Gold.

Mr. Robert Bradley, an employe of the Thorndike Mfg. Co., who will sail for England the latter part of this week, was very pleasantly surprised by his fellow workmen yesterday.

The weavers assembled, and in their behalf, Supt. Kendrick with a happy speech presented him a gold ring and a gold pin with stone setting. Mr. Bradley responded when he had recovered his speech.

Rolly Water in Ward Four.

During the past few days the water in Wards Four and Five has been yellow and musty looking, and to account for this Engineer Bowers says that there has been a cut-out to admit of the starting of the Washington wells and the water rushing into the pipes caused the collection of mud to be carried along with it. It is expected that pumping from the new wells will be begun by Saturday or Monday when the water will again be clear.

THE DISTURBERS AGAIN.

They Continued Their Incendiary Work Last Night.

Another incendiary meeting was held in Huntington hall, last night, and a Rev. Mr. Johnson of Lynn was the speaker. As usual he uttered the most fulsome lies against the Catholic church and its ministers, but as usual only in a general way. None of these clerical calumniators can give anything specific in support of their infamous charges. The object of last night's meeting was to raise funds to support a new daily paper to be issued from Boston. In this regard it was a comparative failure. Meetings were held all over New England last night for the same purpose.

BOWLING NEWS.

The Heroes, but not the heroes, rather the martyrs of the winter tournament at Les Miserables alleys, bowled the final game in the second division last night and were buried. Boardman of the Belvideres had a single string of 223. The scores were as follows:

Belvideres—Rogers 462, Boardman 526, Mansur 455, Morse 455, Halstead 482; total 2352.

Heroes—Farley 420, Boulger 398, Long 413, Donahue 413, Cassidy 413; total 2057.

The Westminsters, champions of the Rhode Island state league, will play Les Miserables on the East Merrimack street alleys tonight. John B. Swift will captain the visitors.

HYMENEAL.

The marriage of Mr. John A. Lyman of Malden and Miss Ada E. Wood occurred last evening at the residence of Mrs. Jacob Nichols, the grandmother of the groom, at 251 Appleton street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Greene and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lyman acted as best man and bridesmaid. The bride was attired in white silk trimmed with white satin ribbon and pearls. She carried a bouquet of brides' roses. The bridesmaid wore lavender silk trimmed with white satin. The wedding gifts were large and costly. Shortly after nine o'clock the happy couple departed on their wedding tour and upon their return will reside at 257 Appleton street. Among the out-of-town friends present were: Miss Almira Lyman of Malden, sister to the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Pratt and Dr. and Mrs. Horace F. Gleason of Malden; Mrs. Ida M. Cunningham of Malden; Mr. and Mrs. Large, Miss Ella Byron and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hough, all of Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Lyman were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Jacob Nichols, Mrs. Cunningham, Mr. and Mr. Walter Lyman. The ushers were Messrs. Andrew G. Stiles and Charles L. Martin, Harry K. Lyman, brother of the groom, was master of ceremonies.

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Paste This in Your Hat.

We do not stumble because we keep our eyes wide open. We tell honest facts, tender honest values, ask honest consideration. And get it, thank you! Dickson Brothers, tea and coffee importers, 68 Merrimack street.

SEAMAN KILLED

He Did Not Understand Spain's Demand.

ENGLAND NOW HAS A POSITIVE GRIEVANCE

Which Must be Explained by Spain.

BALTIMORE, March 28.—At 3 o'clock on the morning of March 19, Spanish sentries murderously shot and killed a seaman of the British steamship Laurestina, and badly wounded a Cuban negro at St. Jago, Cuba. The British government is investigating the matter and complications between Great Britain and Spain may result.

The Laurestina arrived at this port yesterday afternoon from St. Jago, and her officers denounced the shooting as murder. They stated that the seaman was John Lowe, aged 35, a resident of Leeds, who had shipped at Cardiff. On the night of March 18, the crew went ashore for a stroll and walked up from where the vessel was lying to the town of St. Jago, a short distance away. The boatswain, Lowe and another seaman were of the party, and, after a walk about the town, started to return to the ship.

Language Was Unintelligible.

When nearly there, Lowe determined to return to the town, and started back in company with a Cuban negro. En route they had to pass a Cuban fort garrisoned by Spanish troops. Suddenly a sentinel sprang out of the darkness as they neared the fort, and in Spanish commanded them to halt.

Lowe did not understand the command and started to hurry away. The next instant the sentinel raised his musket and fired. Lowe dropped to his knees and rolled over a corpse. The negro then started to run, when he, too, was shot and mortally wounded.

The dead man and the wounded negro were carried inside the fort. At daybreak Captain Gavin of the Laurestina went to the fort and demanded the body of the man. The demand was refused and he has made formal complaint to the British government. An investigation is to be made.

Complaint Goes to England.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Ambassador Pauncefote has received no news as to the killing of Seaman Lowe of the Laurestina by the Spanish soldiers at St. Jago. After reading the account of the matter given by the officers of the ship, he said:

"This is evidently a very outrageous case, and will, of course, be promptly investigated. It is not a matter that would come to this office at all, however, the complaint being made directly to England. No doubt the captain of the ship will make a deposition as to the facts before the British consul, Captain Scagrove, at Baltimore, and the latter will forward it to England. I am glad to have had my attention called to it, as I can make certain that all the evidence is taken."

Two Score A. P. A. Meetings.

BOSTON, March 28.—About 40 A. P. A. meetings were held in the leading cities and towns of Massachusetts last night, addressed by prominent members of the order and other well-known men and women. "Americanism" was the keynote of all the speeches, and there was a large attendance at the meetings. Many spoke of the late war and its lessons; others of the public schools and how they should be maintained. A few denounced the press of Boston and charged it with unfair treatment of the news.

Republicans Claim Fraud.

BALTIMORE, March 28.—An election for councilman in the 15th and 16th wards resulted in the election of the Democratic candidate by 27 majority. The Republican challengers have furnished a list of 71 voters in six precincts of the 16th ward who, they allege, were deprived of their right to cast a ballot, owing to the fact that someone had already voted under their names.

Train Robbers Beated Off.

DANVILLE, Ky., March 28.—An unsuccessful attempt was made to hold up a train on the Cincinnati Southern road early yesterday morning at Greenwood. There was a terrific fight between the robbers and trainmen and three of the robbers were killed. The train was a fast Florida special from Cincinnati.

"Tired of Life."

HAVERHILL, March 28.—W. S. Peabody, a prominent merchant of this city, after telling his wife that he was "tired of life," took two ounces of prussic acid and died shortly afterward.

WILL HAVE AN ORATION.

Two G. A. R. Posts Favor Continuing the Full Program of Exercises on Memorial Day.

The Memorial day committees' reference of the oration matter to the posts individually was the subject of discussion at Post 185, last night. It was almost a unanimous vote in favor of omitting an oration with which to conclude the Memorial day exercises. The following resolution was also adopted:

"The members of Post 185, G. A. R., hereby tender their sincere thanks to all who contributed articles and gave their services to the late bazaar, thereby making the same a financial success. (Signed) D. A. Brown, commander; C. H. Richardson, adjutant."

Post 42 voted in favor of the oration 11 to 7; Post 120 voted 20 to 2 to retain the evening exercises.

The joint committee will meet tonight and the action of a majority of the posts will be accepted as the guide.

Church Collections During April.

Collections in the various churches of the archdiocese of Boston will be taken up in the month of April, and be presented as an offering of the laity of the city to Archbishop Williams on the coming celebration of the 50th anniversary of his ordination as a priest.

There is No Limit.

Court Middlesex, A. O. F. of A., has nearly reached the 7000 mark by 15 applications at its last meeting, making 50 since Jan. 1. These grand court delegates have been chosen: John W. Downing, C. R., Wm. J. Johnson, Hugh J. Leonard, Chas. Connors, Patrick O'Leary, Edward J. McGann, Thos. F. Butler. A committee was appointed for the purpose of drawing up suitable resolutions on the death of Grand Secretary P. E. Conroy of Marlboro.

Presented a Fine Regalia.

An entertainment was given at Excelsior lodge, M. U. O. F., last evening. One of the features was the presentation to Past Grand James P. Ramsay of a handsome regalia, the presentation speech being made by Rev. Dr. Court.

MORE HONORS.

Prince Bismarck Receives Visits From High German Officials.

FRIEDRICHSRUHE, March 28. — Prince Bismarck does not seem to be any the worse for the fatigues which he has endured during the past few days. The visit of Prince Henry of Prussia yesterday was quite unexpected. He cordially congratulated Prince Bismarck upon his hale and hearty appearance.

Prince Hohenlohe, in presenting Prince Bismarck with a joint letter of congratulation from the federal council and the Prussian ministry, said that those two bodies were proud of having for 10 years worked under his leadership for the welfare of the fatherland.

The prince, after thanking Prince Hohenlohe, and asking him to convey to the federal council and Prussian ministry his warmest thanks for their kind message, added: "It was always a pleasure to me to work with you, and I am the more pleased that you, as chancellor, should be the bearer of the congratulations."

King Oscar's Propositions.

STOCKHOLM, March 28.—The proposals of King Oscar looking to a settlement of the deadlock between Norway and Sweden will advocate separate consuls for each country, but will not prevent one consul from acting for both countries. The foreign office will be organized on a common basis, each country enjoying equal privileges. The minister of foreign affairs is to be either a Norwegian or a Swede and is to be responsible to a joint delegation composed of members of the rigsdag and of the storthing.

Ten Duels Threatened.

VIENNA, March 28.—Herr Tarnoczy, the returning officer whose presence in the lower house of the Hungarian diet caused the members of the Opposition to act in a most disorderly manner, has published a letter in which he charges 10 deputies—naming them—with cowardice in having libelled him in the house. It is expected that the publication of this letter will result in every one of the deputies named challenging Herr Tarnoczy to fight duels.

No Interference.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 28.—It is semi-officially stated that in reply to China's request that they mediate for the declaration of an armistice during the peace negotiations, Germany and the United States have notified China that they are resolved to maintain a strictly neutral attitude in regard to China and Japan. The other powers to which a similar appeal was made have refused to interfere.

Reichstag's New President.

BERLIN, March 28.—The reichstag voted for a new president to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Herr von Levetzow, and Baron von Buol-Berenberg was chosen, receiving 183 votes. The Conservatives and National-Liberals handed in 105 blank votes.

Anticipating Trouble In Belgium.

BRUSSELS, March 28. — At a cabinet council it was decided to immediately mobilize 7000 soldiers of the army reserve. This step has been determined upon on account of the danger arising from political agitation in industrial centers.

Americans In a Parisian Tragedy.

PARIS, March 28.—Thomas O'Brien, an American, yesterday shot a companion named Wendel, also said to be an American. Wendel is dying. O'Brien declared Wendel had frequently threatened to kill him.

Bloodthirsty Kaffirs Routed.

CAPE TOWN, March 28.—Advices received here show that a force of rebellious Kaffirs attacked, on March 27, a Portuguese gunboat near Maroquean. They were repulsed with heavy losses.

Gift of the Kaiser.

BERLIN, March 28—Emperor William has conferred the Order of the Crown of First Class upon Prince Yamashina, a prince of the royal family of Japan, who has been travelling in Europe.

Mikado Takes Action.

SHIMONOSEKI, March 28.—The mikado has dismissed the prefect and chief of police of this town for remissness in affording protection to Li Hung Chang. His condition is improving.

Japan Refuses Request.

KOBE, March 28.—The Japanese loan of 3,000,000 yen to Corea has fallen through, owing to the refusal of Japan to grant Corea's request that the loan be kept standing for 15 years.

French Enter British Territory.

AKASSA, Morocco, March 28.—Two large French expeditions have entered the British Niger territory. This action of the French is a breach of the Anglo-French treaty of 1890.

Report of Commission to Be Confirmed.

VIENNA, March 28.—It is learned that the Armenian commission, in its findings, will confirm the report of the Armenian atrocities.

Old World Growth.

CALCUTTA, March 28.—The new telegraph line connecting Mandalay, Burmah, with Pekin was opened yesterday.

Fatal Duel.

PARIS, March 28.—M. Souboyre, a civil engineer, was killed yesterday in a duel.

Harvard, as Usual.

PRINCETON, March 28.—Princeton and Harvard met for the first time on the rostrum last night, and the judges decided in favor of Harvard. Harvard chose the negative of the question: "Resolved, If it were possible, a reasonable property qualification for the exercise of the municipal franchise in the United States would be desirable."

Maine Legislature Adjourns.

AUGUSTA, March 28.—The 67th Maine legislature has adjourned sine die. The body has broken the record for the amount of work done, having passed 493 acts, 134 resolves and 87 measures. The appropriation bills for 1895 amount to $1,758,408; for 1896, $1,624,107. All matters on passage went through yesterday and were signed.

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Canadian Cabinet is Nearing Its Fall.

MANITOBA REPLIES TO QUEBEC AND OTTAWA.

Vigorous Protest Against the Recent Decision.

OTTAWA, March 28.—That there are serious dissensions in the cabinet goes without saying, but the extent of the division is the unanswerable question. There are two causes for this want of harmony. One is the recent passage of the order in council recommending the Manitoban government to grant remedial legislation to the Catholic minority.

This order has pleased nobody. The Catholics of Quebec think that the order ought to be mandatory, while the Protestants of Ontario assert that the federal government ought not, even by suggestion, to interfere with the question of provincial education.

The other cause of trouble was the decision of the cabinet to hold a session of parliament before going to the country. This decision was bitterly opposed by Minister of Finance Foster, who will have a budget deficiency of some $4,000,000 to announce, and was anxious to make an appeal to the country before this disheartening piece of financial news was officially made public.

J. C. Patterson, the minister of militia, if not the first to feel the coming storm, was the first to steer for a harbor of refuge. It was announced in the government organizations that Patterson, owing to his poor health, the politicians' convenient plea, had resigned his portfolio and would accept the lieutenant governorship of Manitoba. This was accompanied by an elaborate statement of the harmony prevailing in the cabinet, which was in itself regarded in political circles as very suspicious, and indicating that all was not right in that happy family, composed of French Roman Catholics and Ontario Orangemen.

It is definitely known that Sir Charles Tupper has tendered his resignation. He has not attended cabinet meetings for the past three days. His resignation was brought about by two causes. In the first place, his advices that an immediate appeal should be made to the country was disregarded, and his claim to lead the house of commons was denied.

At a Critical Stage.

A dispatch from Winnipeg states that the remedial order on separate schools does not come up in the legislature until tonight, but it is, nevertheless, the one topic of the day here.

Both the government and Opposition are holding frequent caucus meetings, and what the outcome will be is difficult to predict. One thing is certain, viz., that the Manitoban government will resent interference by Ottawa on educational matters. There is every indication that the policy of the Opposition in the legislature will be to advocate some modifications to the school law, in other words, some sort of compromise. The Opposition of Premier Greenway and the government is clearly outlined. The newspaper organ of the government has this official statement under the heading:

"Manitoba's Answer."

The remedial order has been read in the legislature. We are asked to restore the school system that was in operation previous to 1890. Let Quebec and Ottawa rest assured that the restoration will never be made. Manitoba has too keen a sense of justice, too much regard for truth and equity, to recognize as a religious aristocracy an element to its population by no means the most worthy.

As a civilized people, attempting to realize in a measure the ideals of the 19th century, Manitobans will not silently submit to the preposterous demand that she should turn back the wheels of progress 300 years. She will stubbornly refuse to supplant modern civilization by mediævalism. This whole question is not a quarrel between Manitoba and the Dominion. It is not even a quarrel between creeds and races. It is a struggle as to whether the ideas of the 19th century or the ideas of the Dark Ages shall prevail.

The act of 1890 was designed to give to every church in the land the benefits of common school education. It recognizes neither class nor creed, but places all on the same level of citizenship. It aimed at development in this noble country, a unity of sentiment, a strong feeling of brotherhood, and it sought to sink all prejudices and class distinctions through making all equal in the sign of the law. Could anything be more wise? Could anything be more just?

Yet what was the attitude of the Roman Catholic church? Standing aside, wrapped up in its black mantle of arrogance, it demanded that it should be considered a religious aristocracy. It refused to have the children of its members receive instructions side by side with the children of those who are their superiors in intelligence and wisdom.

And on what grounds? It said Catholics were promised different treatment from others by the act that called the province into existence. Then when shown that even if this were true, which it is not, no just citizen would claim a fulfillment of the promise, since it would violate one of the foundation principles of state organization—equal rights to all.

It gave a second reason that the public schools are Protestant. If the refusal of a Roman Catholic to act as a member of the department of education and of the archbishop to act as a member of the advisory board could make the schools Protestant, then they are so; otherwise, not a shadow of proof has been advanced in support of this claim.

Why does not the Roman Catholic church come out with the truth at once? Why not advance the real reason for discontent? Rome is not in accord with the spirit of the age. It is wedded to a dead past. Mediævalism cannot coalesce with modern thought.

"Creed Against Creed."

In place of the act of 1890, what is substituted is offered. We are asked to set creed against creed and race against race; to break up the interest that should exist; to mutually support each other in wrongdoing; to make the state the teacher of religious truth.

How can any Romanist, believing that Protestants' schools are teaching errors, conscientiously support them, and how can any Protestant, believing that the religious teaching of the Roman Catholic church is erroneous, agree that a portion of his tax should be voted toward the support of such teachings?

No, any one who has the least sense of justice, any one who is patriotic in the slightest degree, any one who believes that all citizens are equal in the sight of the law, and that what is good enough for one is good enough for all, must stand by the act of 1890.

And this is our answer to Quebec. We shall not allow the state to support religion; we shall not allow the church to control the state; we shall not return to the civilization of the Dark Ages; we shall not recognize Rome as better or in any way different from others. We shall hold to the principles of equal rights for all, and that principle shall be dearer to us than confederation itself.

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Higgins is Crazy.

FALL RIVER, March 28.—James Higgins, who murderously assaulted his wife on March 4 and cut his own throat, but failed to kill himself, has been adjudged insane and sent to the asylum at Taunton.

The Safe Blown Open.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., March 28. — The Auburn State bank of Auburn was robbed of $1000 at 3 o'clock yesterday morning. The safe was blown open and rifled of its contents.

Little Boy's Skull Crushed.

FALL RIVER, March 28.—A 4-year-old son of William H. Millerick was instantly killed yesterday by the wheel of a stone gear, which crushed his skull.

How Chicago Has Grown.

CHICAGO, March 28.—Francis Chamberlin, at one time the only white child in Chicago, died yesterday. His father came to Chicago in 1832. They were here at the time of the Fort Dearborn massacre, and Mrs. Chamberlin was saved from death by the noted Indian chief Black Partridge. The incident has been perpetuated in bronze on the spot.

Millions of Cod Turned Out.

GLOUCESTER, March 28.—The fish hatchery on Ten Pound island closed yesterday for the season. The output of young cod has been 18,000,000, as against 25,000,000 last year. Extreme cold weather in February destroyed millions of eggs in the process of hatching.

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